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CHURCHES GLOW FOR EASTER

Symbol of the resurrection, fresh spring flowers will brighten altars of city churches at Good Friday and Easter Sunday services. Above, helping to decorate St. Luke's Church, Cedar

Hill, are children of Sunday school superintendent Christopher Howland, 3170 Aldridge, from left: Lennie, 10; Yvonne, 2; Mary, 7. See page 21 for Good Friday services. —(Times photo)

Ex-Red Walsh Claims He 'Exposed' Norman

TORONTO (CP) — The Telegram says Pat Walsh, a one-time Communist, said today he was the undercover agent who in 1950 told the RCMP that Canadian diplomat Herbert Norman had been a member of the Canadian Communist party 10 years earlier.

(In Ottawa Wednesday night, External Affairs Minister Pearson said the RCMP later in 1950 had branded the agent's report as being a case of "mistaken identity or unfounded rumor by an unidentified sub-source.")

Mr. Walsh, since quitting the Communist party, has become secretary of an organization known as the Pan-American Anti-Communist League.

The Norman case is the "hottest election issue in eastern Canada today," Times Ottawa correspondent Victor J. Mackie reports in an extensive dispatch on Page 21.

The Telegram quotes Mr. Walsh as saying today: "Mistaken identity — rubbish. My report was the facts of the case. The second report was issued after the intervention of Pearson."

PEARSON REVEALS NEW INFORMATION

RCMP Retracted Norman Report — Case of 'Mistaken Identity'

OTTAWA (CP) — External Affairs Minister Pearson says the United States Senate internal security sub-committee used an unfounded RCMP report to brand Herbert Norman as a Communist.

He said Wednesday night that in October, 1950, the RCMP informed the appropriate U.S. security agencies it had a report from one of its secret agents mentioning Mr. Norman as a member of the Canadian Communist party in 1940.

But three months later the RCMP, after extensive inquiries, reported to the U.S. security agencies that its secret agent's information was a case of "mistaken identity or unfounded rumor by an unidentified sub-source" and it was therefore deleting the earlier reference to Mr. Norman being a Communist party member 10 years earlier.

Mr. Pearson said it was the original report which Robert Morris, sub-committee counsel, was using last March 12 when he referred to Mr. Norman as being identified as a Communist in February, 1940.

Question of Two Reports Puzzling

Though the original RCMP report was made public by Mr. Morris, the follow-up one denying the first was never released until Wednesday night. There was no indication in Mr. Pearson's statement that the sub-committee had possession of the second report as well as the original.

"How this original report became public we can only guess," Mr. Pearson said.

Last week in the Commons the minister said that as far as he knew no security information on Canadians supplied to the U.S. government had fallen into the hands of the sub-committee.

There was no explanation why Mr. Pearson or the government had not made public earlier the fact that an RCMP report had been employed by the sub-committee in charges of communism against Mr. Norman.

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UNEF Chief Protests

CAIRO (AP) — The United Nations information centre said today that Maj.-Gen. E. L. M. Burns, commander of the UN Emergency Force, has lodged five complaints with Israeli authorities concerning violations and incidents in the Gaza Strip.



Seems th' seagulls will hav a choice when th' garbage scows git them new noise makers. It'll be soup or sonic.

If th' old 'uns git a hundred a month th' young 'uns'll hav it git a hundred a week t' be able t' afford th' faxes.

Mister Bennett an' his sales team are appearin' at Massey Hall. Y'd think he'd o'picked Maple Leaf Gardens fe skatin' on thin ice.

speakers be placed on the scows to broadcast seagull cries of alarm, thus scaring the birds away from the garbage scows.

The other 78 had various opinions of the plan. None thought it would be a real danger, although all agreed it had the earmarks of a "dirty trick."

To achieve a reasonable cross-section of opinion among

the seagull population, interviews were conducted at the city garbage wharf; on one of the scows; at Jetty A, HMC Dockyard; at the government jetty below HMCS Naden; and at Beacon Hill Park.

Least concerned of all were the Beacon Hill gulls.

"Garbage?" sniffed one, disdainfully. "Beneath my dignity. I'm strictly a bread-crumbs-and-small-bits-of-bacon-rind boy myself. And here in the park there is plenty of same."

Most of the Beacon Hill gulls, he explained, have long since retired from an active life as being the birds which are followed to Victoria.

"Our main vocation now is to pose for tourist snapshots," said the spokesman. "Naturally, in return we receive ample fare. I do not believe this city council plan would

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\$100 a Month Pensions Reported Socred Plan

BLOOD-RED LAVA SPEWS FROM ANCIENT MT. ETNA

CATANIA, Sicily (AP) — Mount Etna's central crater broke into explosive action today as blood-red lava continued to pour slowly from a new rupture above the Valley of the Lion on the barren side of the ancient peak.

For the time being, hamlets on Etna, far below the volcanic activity, were not in danger.

The current eruption is in the same zone as that of 1950 which spilled out millions of tons of lava and did not halt until it had reached the 600-foot level and destroyed and damaged roads and cultivated fields.

Gunman Kills FBI Agent, Suicides

SUFFIELD, Conn. (UP) — An accused wife-slayer and payroll bandit fought a gun duel with police today when he was trapped in a home and died after killing an FBI agent.

The body of suspect, Francis Kolakowski, 42, was found in the basement where he apparently had gone in an attempt to escape tear gas bombs, pumped into the home of John W. Slater, where he had barricaded himself. It was believed he shot himself, to prevent capture.

FBI agent Richard Horan was found dead in the kitchen, where he was felled by a bullet as he invaded the upstairs after gaining entrance to the cellar of the home.

The battle raged for nearly an hour as Kolakowski tried desperately to fend off more than 50 officers who converged on the scene after receiving reports the killer-bandit had taken refuge in the house.

Gas Bombs Rout Paris Strikers

PARIS (CP) — A battle between striking rail and subway workers and police broke out today on the boulevard in front of the transport ministry.

About 1,000 workers, members of the Communist-dominated Confederation Generale du Travail, assaulted police lines with stones and metal bars in an effort to break through to the ministry.

Police struck back with batons and showered the crowd with fire hoses and tear gas bombs. They rushed up reinforcements to disperse the strikers.

The workers went on a two-day strike Wednesday for higher wages. Some of the strikers were fighting back to their jobs today.

The clash was the first violence in the strike of rail, subway and bus employees which has slowed but hardly stopped normal business.

U.K. Still Advises Against Using Suez

LONDON (Reuters) — Britain is still advising British ship owners to avoid using the Suez Canal. Transport Minister Harold Watkinson told the Commons today. The owners were "following this advice."

Russia Explodes 'One of Largest' Nuclear Blasts

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. government said today Russia exploded a nuclear weapon Tuesday which was "one of the largest thus far in the current Soviet series."

Chairman Lewis L. Strauss of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission said this was the fifth in a series since April 3.

This was the 11th test explosion, reported by the AEC since the Russians began a test series last August.

2nd Courtenay Parent Charged With Keeping Child From School

COURTENAY — A Courtenay lawyer today is defending his wife on charges that their nine-year-old daughter has not been attending school as required under the Public Schools Act.

Bertha Sinks is Nugent W. Stinks, her husband.

Charges were laid by



Secret Session At Toronto Drafts Election Platform

TORONTO (CP) — Social Credit party leaders in closed sessions today hammered out the party's campaign platform for the June 10 federal election.

Although public announcement was withheld until a mass rally here tonight, it was reported that one plank calls for pensions of \$100 a month to Canadians at age 70. The present pension is \$40 a month and it is scheduled to go to \$46 July 1.

The platform was discussed at a morning meeting of the party's executive committee, headed by Solon Low, national leader. Other members of the committee include Premier Bennett of British Columbia and Manning of Alberta, Rev. E. G. Hansell, SC national president, and several cabinet ministers in the Alberta and B.C. Social Credit governments.

The policies went before an afternoon meeting of the party's

QUEBEC NEXT?

Premier W. A. C. Bennett revealed today he will confer with Premier Duplessis of Quebec Monday and Tuesday.

The party held 15 or the 265 seats in the House of Commons at dissolution — all in Alberta and B.C. It plans more than 160 candidates for the June 10 election.

national council for final approval.

It was learned that Premier Bennett will leave here following today's meeting for a visit to Montreal Sunday and a talk with Quebec Premier Duplessis in Quebec City Monday and Tuesday.

BONNER CHAIRMAN

Some 400 delegates were in Toronto for the meetings. Attorney-General Bonner of B.C. will be chairman of the public rally tonight at Massey Hall.

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'HISTORIC' SPEECH, SWANK BAND FOR TORONTO

Socreds Expecting 3,500 At Whoop-de-Doo Tonight

Special to the Times

TORONTO — Social Credit's "On to Ottawa" campaign frankly doesn't know what to expect at its heralded eastern debut — the razzle-dazzle rally in Massey Hall tonight.

Premier Bennett, still polishing a speech he insists will be historic, expects the rally to convince eastern Canada the Socreds are a vital living party on their way to a government in Ottawa.

Added to 360 West German cadets whom Canada is to train, the cadets involved in today's announcement by the external affairs department raise to 515 the extra number of pilots and navigators Canada is taking under the scheme.

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The clash was the first violence in the strike of rail, subway and bus employees which has slowed but hardly stopped normal business.

Both sides are following this advice.

Bonner agreed rhetorically would show Ontario the force of Social Credit and said he was impressed by the good response to the letter the party sent to Ontario business.

This letter coupled an appeal for easier credit with the promise that increased home owner-

ship would be a step away from socialism.

It also took a backhand swipe at the Canada Council, a favorite whipping boy for the party.

"Home ownership is a basic factor in the building of national character — and character is at least as important as a national culture," the letter said.

SWANK BAND

Like the official party program that will be unveiled tonight, the entertainment has something for everyone.

Moxy Whitney's swank society orchestra will play and the featured singer will be Lorraine McAllister, who is equally at home with hillbilly or pop songs.

Also working hard on speeches are Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta and National Leader Solon Low.

Neither thought their rally message historic but predicted the meeting would put the Socreds on the Ontario map.

One thing tonight's rally will not introduce is a campaign song for the march to Ottawa. "We've been corny, but not quite corny enough to have a song called 'On to Ottawa,'" a party spokesman said.

Three days of press releases have left Toronto a bit baffled about just what the Socreds stand for.

All the party has stressed here so far is that it is alive.

Observers here believe that Premier Bennett is exercising a growing influence over the national Socred organization.

For example, he acted as "prompter" to national Socred leader Solon Low during a press conference Tuesday.

He has arranged that B.C. cabinet members will play leading roles in the party's drive for eastern Canadian votes, and the Socred federal election program has been drafted by Mr. Bonner under Mr. Bennett's supervision.

If Social Credit makes significant gains in the June 10 federal election, observers believe these quiet but obvious developments might put Mr. Bennett in a position to strive openly for Socred national leadership.

PEARSON BUNGLED

While Mr. Low said the Norman case will not be made a campaign issue, Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi was telling an audience in Hamilton that Hon. Lester Pearson had bungled by "not telling the complete story."

Half-page advertisements have been appearing in newspapers here telling of the meeting tonight.

Where, asked reporters, are the campaign funds coming from?

Said Mr. Bennett: Rank and file Social Creditors, and business, too.

Big business too?

Both big and small, said Mr. Bennett.

TIMES SEAGULL OPINION POLL revealed today that only four of 82 birds interviewed are worried by possible plan to scare them off garbage scows by public address system broadcasting warning cries. Three who expressed concern (above) flew away trembling, but not because of seagull alarm cries, as explained in exclusive interview at left. — (Times photo by Bill Halkett)



QUEEN HONORS B.C. AIRMAN FOR FRASER FLOOD BRAVERY

OTTAWA (CP) — Award of the Queen's commendation for brave conduct to Flt. Sgt. Walter Hetman of the RCAF station at Vancouver is announced in the Canada Gazette.

PR. GEORGE CITIZENS ENRAGED**Young Hoodlums Terrorize City****GULLS**

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have any bearing on Beacon Hill gulls."

A seagull questioned at the city garage wharf expressed scant interest in the plan.

"As I understand it, the city council will be asked to propose music on the garbage scows," he said.

"The music suggested is the seagull warning cry, which is, to a seagull, the most interesting chromatic exercise."

"However, I cannot see the need for this expense, as seagulls are quite capable of producing their own warning cries."

"But, not being a taxpayer, the matter doesn't concern me one way or the other."

The only note of indignation was sounded by a rather ancient seagull, a resident of these parts for many years, and the dean of the HMC Dockyard colony.

"There is base ingratitude here," he said. "Gull and fledgling, for nigh unto I don't know how many years I have been doing my part to keep the harbors clean. So have all the other gulls of my acquaintance. Now they are proposing to try to keep us off the garbage scows."

Even this ancient, and rather indignant, gull, refused to be worried. "It won't work," he said. "Seagulls are used to weird noises, being great hand at creating weird noises themselves."

One of the gulls interviewed said only: "Eh? What's that you say?"

He is a herring gull who is hard of hearing.

The three gulls actively worried about the project all had the same reason.

"When the city fathers find the seagull warning won't work," they said, "they may decide to play Elvis Presley recordings instead."

Quivering from beak to tail feather, they flew away.

Opera Singer Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Stefan Kozakevich, 51, Russian-born concert and opera singer, died Wednesday at his home. For 10 seasons he was the leading baritone of the San Carlo Opera Co.

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'Painless' Merger Sketched by Ash**No Municipality Would Assume Debt of Another, States Reeve**

A "painless" plan for consolidation of Greater Victoria—with no municipality assuming the debt or development of another—was charted by Saanich Reeve Arthur Ash Wednesday night.

He told a joint meeting of Greater Victoria Lions Clubs, outlying municipalities fear they would be called upon to assume the debt of Victoria, in event of amalgamation.

Those municipalities with sewers, drains and highways completed resist the idea of providing these services to other

areas which are not so fully developed.

Solution, he said, would be for the municipalities to pool costly assets which cannot be liquidated—streets, sewers, sidewalks, street lighting and parks, the arena and the public library to name a few.

These would be administered on a joint basis.

Mr. Bonner is now in Toronto attending a Social Credit meeting.

A spokesman for his department confirmed that the fire marshal's report on the fire had been received.

More than 400,000 trees stand on the boulevards and in the parks of Paris.

Youth Induced Boys to Steal Goods for Him

A Victoria youth who induced a pair of juveniles to steal for him was sentenced to one day imprisonment and one year's rigid probation when he faced two charges of breaking, entering and theft.

Victor Rowe, 18, 478 Gorge East, pleaded guilty to the charges laid after break-ins March 2 and March 23 at Bligh's Corner General Store, Metchosin.

Court was told Rowe acted as lookout while the two juveniles entered the store the first time to take small items of merchandise.

SUSPENDED

The second time Rowe again acted as lookout while one of the juveniles entered the premises.

Rowe was given a suspended sentence on the first charge and Magistrate A. I. Thomas imposed a stiff probation requirement.

On the second charge, being a second offence, the one day imprisonment was set.

Sentence was imposed after receipt of a probation report on Rowe.

'Birdcage' Probe Report Awaits Bonner

Contents of the fire marshal's report into the recent blaze which destroyed the old legislative building ("the Birdcage") will not be made public until Attorney-General Robert Bonner returns from eastern Canada.

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WENNER-GREN AREA SHUTDOWN 'NEWS TO ME' SAYS WILLISTON

Lands and Forests Minister Ray Williston said today he had heard nothing of a report that 70 men have been thrown out of work at Hudson Hope because a sawmill site had been declared part of the Wenner-Gren area.

"It is news to me," said Mr. Williston when told of a story published in the Toronto Star. "So many sawmills are closing now for no other reason than lack of business. I have not heard of any mill closing at Hudson Hope."

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Reeve Ash recalled the statement of Municipal Affairs Minister Wesley Black recently: "The only sensible solution to the Greater Victoria problem is complete amalgamation."

The Reeve felt if Victoria district amalgamated it should have its own private charter combining the best features of the new Municipal Act and the Vancouver City Charter.

Consolidation could be started by establishing a special intermunicipal committee in cooperation with the department of municipal affairs.

The argument that taxes would be increased by amalgamation was disproved when Ottawa annexed surrounding areas. Except for the demand for local improvements, taxes would have been lower, the Reeve said. (He is a former Ottawa alderman.)

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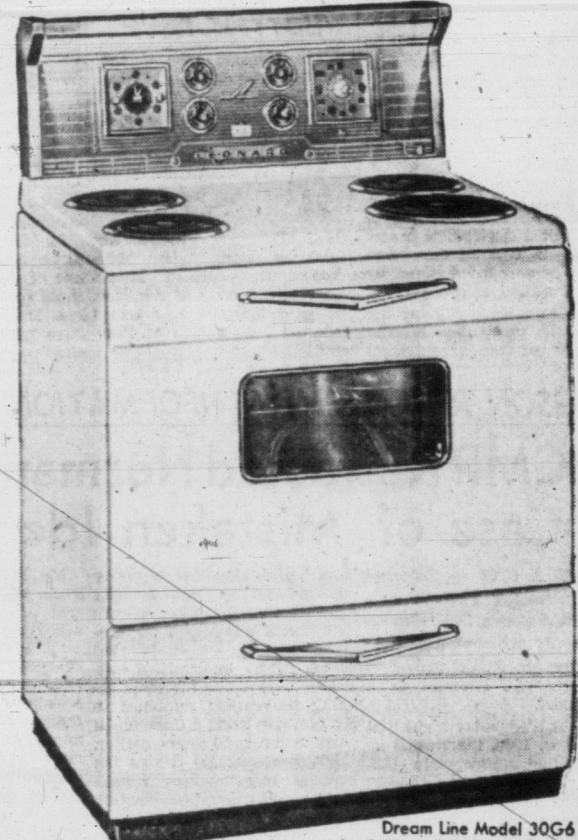
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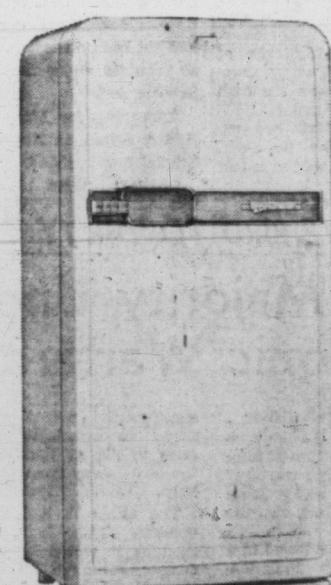
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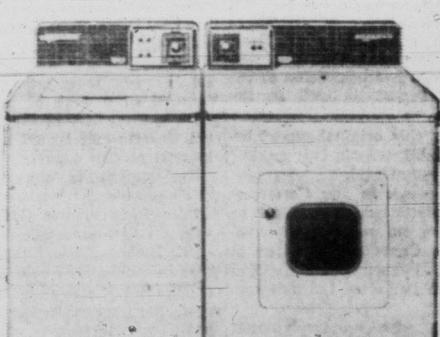
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'Boil Water', Japan Warns In Nuclear 'Contamination'

TOKYO (Reuters)—The Japanese government said today Japan is "rapidly becoming contaminated" by radioactive dust from Soviet nuclear tests.

It broadcast a general warning to the people to beware of possible radioactive contamination. It told housewives to boil drinking water and thoroughly wash all vegetables and fruit. Farmers were told to pay special attention to well water.

The warning followed a weather bureau report that heavy and continuing radioactive fall-out from recent Soviet tests has been registered throughout Japan over the last two days.

In the last two weeks United

States and British authorities have announced at least four Russian nuclear test explosions.

The Japan Council Against Atomic and Hydrogen Bombs has protested to the Soviet Embassy here against the tests.

IF OTHERS DO

Ivan Frolovich Chernov, second secretary of the embassy, said Russia was ready to suspend tests if other countries will do so.

The Japanese government released details of a procedure it has suggested for prohibiting test explosions "through practical and effective measures."

They were contained in observations on a joint Canadian-Japanese-Norwegian proposal in the United Nations calling for prior

SUNDAY BROADCAST

Judge Reserves Decision on CBC Exemption Plea

TORONTO (CP)—Chief Justice J. C. McRuer of the Supreme Court of Ontario Wednesday reserved decision on a motion that would exempt the CBC from prosecution under the federal Lord's Day Act.

The move followed a day-long legal argument.

The motion, presented by CBC Counsel Walter B. Williston, asked that the charges against the CBC be quashed on grounds that the CBC is a crown agent, and not subject to any act unless it is specifically named in that act.

The CBC has been charged with violating the Lord's Day Act by broadcasting on Sundays. Also charged with violating the act are three Toronto newspapers — The Globe and Mail, The Telegram and The Star—and Toronto radio station CKEY.

A hearing of these charges Wednesday was adjourned for a week in another court by Magistrate T. S. Elmore pending decision on the CBC motion.

Mr. Williston was opposed in his legal arguments by C. F. H. Carson, special Crown attorney appointed for the case.

Mr. Williston also argued that if the CBC were convicted and fined for violating the Lord's Day Act, it "would be taking money out of one pocket and putting it in another" of the Crown.

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SKYSCRAPER LIGHTS DEPICT GOOD FRIDAY SCENE—The lighted windows of two New York skyscrapers reproduce the first Good Friday scene of Christ on the Hill of Calvary. Lights were turned on Thursday night in a test preview of the scene arranged for Good Friday night by the Anchor Club of the New York fire department. — (AP wirephoto)

Choristers Impress With Sacred Music

By AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON

Episodes of a divine tragedy found full and magnificent expression in Wednesday night's performance of Bach's "Passion According to St. John", in Christ Church Cathedral.

As a musical embodiment of the Easter season, it would be difficult to find a more ideal medium.

The manner of its presentation by director Graham Steed, Victoria Choral Society ensemble of 75 voices, 20-piece orchestra and six soloists, was impressive and moving.

SPIRITUAL

For the audience, seated in the softly lit, vaulted cathedral nave, the poignantly beautiful music coming from behind and above in the west gallery, was deeply spiritual in its effect.

Only three of a fine group of soloists were stationed at the chancel steps. These were tenor Edward Oldfield, the narrator; Dr. Harry Johns, bass, who sang the recitative of Pilate, and John Bray, baritone, singing Jesus—also in recitative.

From the gallery, one heard the soprano, Audrey Saville, and contralto and baritone voices of Eleanor Duff and Derek MacDermott singing—and singing well—the several inspired and famous arias.

Visually this stark simplicity served to emphasize the greatness of the work and the events it commemorates.

Mr. Steed particularly, and the whole ensemble, deserve the grateful thanks of all who were present for an imaginative, tender and worthy performance.

SCENIC AREAS

Beginning with an area of 10 square miles in the Rocky Mountains in 1885, Canada's national parks now cover 29,000 square miles.

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Mayflower Stalled On Historic Voyage

DARTMOUTH, England (AP)—Allan Villiers, skipper of the vessel Mayflower II, replica of the Pilgrim Fathers' ship, was anchored to find a suitable tug in a dreary mist at the mouth of the Dart River today, waiting the next moves in its projected trip to the United States.

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The Sound Rule

FEW CANADIANS HAVE MADE a larger contribution to the nation's welfare than Mr. C. D. Howe. But Mr. Howe also makes mistakes from time to time and one of them has lately been aired in Parliament.

Before he died last year the late Sir James Dunn appointed his friend; Mr. Howe, as one of the executors of his estate. Among the assets in the estate was a huge block of shares in the Algoma Steel Company. Thus Mr. Howe became an important figure in that company, without any personal interest of his own.

Mr. Howe is not a director of Algoma. He merely manages, with other executors, the interests of Sir James' heirs. Mr. Howe's influence was soon felt, however, in this giant corporation; for he told Parliament the other day that he had been instrumental in preventing the sale of a large part of the company's stock to undesirable interests. This, he thought, was a valuable service to the nation.

Perhaps it was, but this is not the point of the argument advanced in Parliament by the CCF. It holds that Mr. Howe, as a powerful cabinet minister, should never be involved with a firm so large that it is almost bound, at some time or another, to be involved with the Government.

The only sound rule for cabinet ministers is to resign company directorships when they take office, even if this often involves financial sacrifices. The same rule, for the estate like that of Sir James when that estate is such an important factor in Algoma's affairs.

The integrity of Mr. Howe has never been doubted by the vast majority of Canadians. His honor, as well as his organizing genius, has long been an ornament of our public life. But he is very unwise to leave himself open to the attack of the CCF by serving what he considers the interests of his dead friend's

Let's Protect

FIRES WHICH DESTROYED Government House and the Birdcage have led to public insistence that our remaining buildings of history and tradition be adequately protected.

Particular mention has been made of Craigdarroch Castle and Helmcken House. Craigflower School could be included in a list of many others, some publicly, many privately, owned.

An intense interest in these old buildings and a desire to see them more fully safeguarded against fire will be of little value if it rises and dies as quickly as a flame. Some permanent arrangements must be made.

Perhaps, as a first step, competent authorities, preferably led by

heirs, however innocent that service may be.

Now that his position in this matter has been questioned, Mr. Howe's friends must hope that he will retire from any connection with Algoma—not because he has done anything wrong but because he has exposed himself and the Government unnecessarily to criticism. Though it is partisan criticism, timed for election purposes, it appears to be valid in this case.

Another matter falling under the same rules of conduct has arisen in the case of Mr. John D. Barrington, president and managing director of Polymer Corporation, who has recently been appointed a director of McIntyre Porcupine Gold Mines.

Polymer Corporation is owned by the Government of Canada. The president of that organization now accepts a directorship with a private company which is reported to receive subsidies of some \$500,000 a year from the Government.

Mr. Stanley Knowles, of the CCF, is quite right, we believe in attacking these arrangements. The honor of Mr. Barrington is not in question, but the propriety of his position—a public servant joining a private company subsidized by the Government—is highly questionable to say the least of it.

Mr. Howe says he was not consulted about Mr. Barrington's appointment to the directorate of McIntyre Porcupine and that the matter "is still under consideration." It should not require more than a moment's consideration for Mr. Howe to see that Mr. Barrington should be asked to resign immediately from a private directorship.

As Mr. Howe is responsible for the Polymer Corporation, the property of the Canadian people, and as Mr. Barrington is his servant, the minister can quickly cancel the existing arrangements. He should do so.

What Is Left

THE PROVINCIAL archivist, should make a detailed list of structures which need special protection. If they are in private hands—as many are—the owners should be invited to discuss methods of assuring their preservation. Then the issue might profitably be turned over to the provincial public works department, or some suitable provincial agency, to act in co-operation with local authorities in devising the most effective safety measures.

It is admittedly late for such action, but if the capital wishes to preserve what remains of its past in the way of important buildings, some program must be laid down that will continue in effect when the present wave of public interest subsides.

Will We Be Double-Taxed?

WITH THE ENTRY OF PRINCE Edward Island the required conditions for federal participation in a national hospital insurance plan have been fulfilled. There will be some delay, of course, while several of the six provinces concerned create their local insurance establishments, and it may be 18 months or more before the program is fully operative.

British Columbia and Saskatchewan, already having their own insurance systems, will be among the first provinces to reap the benefit of the federal plan. In British Columbia, about one half of the hospital insurance costs now borne by provincial taxpayers will be assumed by the Federal Government. This, of course, will not relieve the people of the costs. As Canadian taxpayers they will continue to pay for hospital insurance, and perhaps pay somewhat more proportionately to most other provinces since this is a wealthy part of Canada.

This fact poses a problem for Premier Bennett. If he cuts our provincial taxes by the amount now

to be contributed by Ottawa, the costs of insurance borne by each taxpayer will remain fairly close to what they have been. But if he continues to collect all of the special two per cent insurance tax and uses it for other purposes, the inauguration of federal insurance will mean merely that we will be paying half as much again in taxes as we should be. We will be paying the full provincial tax plus the federal costs.

Mr. Bennett has one other alternative. He could add substantially to the benefits provided by hospital insurance in B.C. and thus use up the surplus provincial tax contribution. But it is a moot question just how much taxation the people of the costs. As Canadian taxpayers they will continue to pay for hospital insurance, and perhaps pay somewhat more proportionately to most other provinces since this is a wealthy part of Canada.

If this is an opportunity to reduce provincial levies most people will be in favor of seizing it. In any case the B.C. two per cent tax was imposed for a specific purpose. If half the cost of that program is taken over by the Federal Government, it seems logical to return the unused portion to the people.

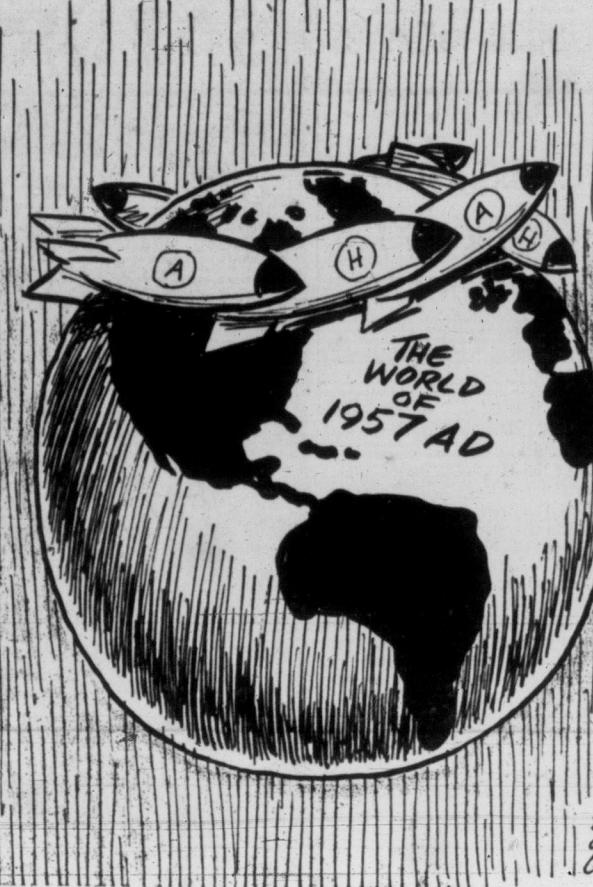
Canada Council

BY AND LARGE THE GOVERNMENT seems to have chosen excellent directors from coast to coast for the Canada Council to aid Canadian culture.

In Mr. Brooke Claxton it has found a man of extraordinary organizing ability and a deep and sincere interest in the arts. His particular talents equip him well for the post of chairman.

He, the council and Canada are extremely fortunate in having as vice-chairman Most Rev. Georges-Henri Levesque of Laval University. Father Levesque has earned recognition as one of the finest minds in French Canada. A brilliant lecturer, outstanding scholar and stout champion of liberties—he has fought Mr. Duplessis and the reactionary elements of his own province unceasingly—his name lends lustre to the directorate.

Crown of Thorns



LOOSE ENDS

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

Havoc in Massey Hall

TONIGHT, says Mr. Bennett, Canada will enter one of the most important moments of its history. Social Credit will open in the big time of



Hutchison

TONIGHT'S meeting in Toronto is important as perhaps indicating whether we are moving toward the second alternative. For that is the only alternative that Social Credit proposes. It is out to smash the Opposition now and tackle the Government four years from now. Its highest hope this year is to fracture the two-party system, to make any national party impossible and thus to make stable government impossible.

That statement is not a personal opinion from an opponent of Social Credit. It is the statement of Premier Bennett himself.

When he boasts that the Liberal Party will lose a "minimum of fifty seats" he is boasting that there can be no majority in the next Parliament. He is exulting in stalemate. He is proclaiming the doctrine of chaos. He is creating havoc.

WHAT else would you expect? It is only in a state of stalemate, chaos and havoc that Social Credit can even begin to make any progress at the June poll. It can feed only on confusion. It can advance only through the ruins of the two-party system.

Mr. Bennett does not deny that. He glories in it. He proclaims the death of the Conservative Party and the approaching death of the Liberal Party regularly once a week. No doubt he will pronounce their doom over the microphones of Massey Hall tonight.

But if the Canadian people have one dominant national instinct it is the instinct of stability, the hatred of confusion, the horror of a French-style parliament at the mercy of shifting cliques and temporary cabals. They experienced that evil only twice, after the elections of 1921 and 1925, and the experience was burned into their memory.

In every other election since Confederation they gave a majority to one party or another and enabled it to govern, so that by and large we have had excellent government, under either party.

Mr. Bennett thinks he can alter or confuse that instinct by a kind of Hollywood premiere in Toronto. After his easy triumphs over a splintered opposition in British Columbia he forgets that he is now playing in the big league, where the rules are rather different.

DENNIS THE MENACE



As Our Readers See It

Death Penalty

An article in the Victoria Daily Times says: "The Death Penalty. The Duncan Killers Fight for Life."

Men and women may call it what they like, but to justify the death penalty is to justify legal murder . . . and this is not Christianity.

If men and women had studied Occultism, Theosophy or Metaphysics they would realize that to liberate the personality of a so-called murderer, who may have been obsessed by a malicious or jealous entity upon the lower spiritual plane after death, by hanging or otherwise, was to fill him with the spirit of hatred, revenge or other negative thoughts, to influence other sensitive individuals by inciting them to similar deeds.

This recent case was a young man, who was sentenced to be hanged in B.C. A man who had been drinking heavily for some days, and in an advanced state of drunkenness, who had been separated from his wife and child after four years of marriage, shot and killed the man who had been his friend on New Year's Day, because he found him with his arm around his wife in a moment of extreme provocation, and under the influence of jealousy. What normal sane man could blame him? We are all God's children, all spiritual beings, whether in the body or out of it, and God gave us light and understanding, wisdom and tolerance. We have been preaching Christianity for the past 2,000 years. How about putting it into practice? We do not know Christ if He is not within our hearts. What did our Greatest Teacher and Master say . . . "Thou shall not kill." So I say that legalized murder is wrong and un-Christian . . . in spite of what all speakers and ministers say or believe.

EDNA MAY JONES,
1166 View Street.

Unnecessary Waste

As soon as I heard on the radio of the fire at Government House, I immediately thought this expensive place will not be rebuilt.

My thoughts were as suddenly shattered when the next news was "Government House Will Be Rebuilt," says Premier Bennett." I immediately saw red, as red as the headlines of the Victoria Daily Times of Monday's paper. Then I went on to read something I had forgotten, and I guess many more have. "That on March the 17, St. Patrick's day, by the way, in 1943, the members in the Provincial house debated for more than an hour before voting down a resolution of the late Ernest Winch that the residence be turned into An Old Peoples Home, and that Mr. Winch was supported by M.L.A. Mrs. Dorothy Steeves, CCF for North Vancouver, who said Government House was serving no great social need."

What a great pity it is that Mr. Winch is not here now to fight for the right of the people who give their votes, and expect and demand as I now do, that every member of the Opposition demand their right to speak on this terribly serious pomp and vanity matter. No Premier has the right to say the place will be immediately rebuilt and ready for the Centennial without the sanction of the people. All members in the House are the servants of the people, and the people are not looking for dictatorship in British Columbia by any one person, and they should all stand on their hind legs and kick."

There is absolutely no need for a Government House in Victoria at all, Royalty, which Mr. Bennett possibly has his eyes on can stay at the Empress, and any other so called personages can do the same.

(MRS.) A. MARSHALL.

Religion in Schools

In your issue of the 11th inst. it is reported that an Anglican Church cleric wishes to have religious teaching in the schools, which teaching he would naturally want to be of his particular belief or teaching.

From the report it would appear that the reason for wanting to increase education expenses and school taxes is indirectly to find jobs, and thus provide inducement for young men to enter the ministry of that church, by increasing eventual attendance at church.

As many parents of school children do not believe the tales taught as part of religious instruction, such parents would feel obliged to put their own point of view before their children. There would thus be the likelihood of the givers of religious instruction being considered as teachers of untruths, which would be damaging to their prestige.

The best is to continue to keep controversial teaching of professional religions out of the schools.

FREETHINKER.

Tribute

I,

too, would like to pay my humble tribute to John Hart, a fine gentleman and a great premier whom we shall always remember. Your Mr. Gribbins gave us a warm and colorful account of the funeral and conveyed much of its pathos in clear vivid phrases that made the service in the old cathedral come to life.

In Mr. Hart the province has lost one of its noblest and most kindly public servants and he will take his place among the really great Canadians of the century.

(MRS.) V. FORD.

1047 Hilda Street.

FROM WASHINGTON

By STEWART ALSOP

The Mysterious Pellets

A now going on in the Pentagon about the role of basic scientific research in the defence of the United States. To the casual observer, the fight

might seem just another tempest stirred up by the vain and temperamental scientists. In fact, the issue in dispute has a real bearing on the whole national future, as the story of Dr. Mac Van Valkenburg and his plastic pellets

and his plastic pellets may serve to suggest. Dr. Van Valkenburg is a young scientist, until recently with the rather obscure University of Utah. Last year, he got a Defense Department grant of a few thousand dollars for an odd little experiment which might appear to have precious little to do with defence.

Dr. Van Valkenburg used a shaped charge technique to fire plastic pellets at constantly increasing speeds into wax targets. As the velocity increased, the pellets, as might be expected, simply penetrated deeper and deeper into the wax.

Then, when Dr. Van Valkenburg fired a pellet into the wax at the remarkable speed of 8,500 miles an hour, a queer thing happened.

Surface Explosion

Instead of penetrating deeply into the wax, the pellet exploded, making a large crater on the surface of the wax.

He tried it again, and always, at speeds over 8,500 miles an hour, the same thing happened, for reasons which must remain mysterious to the layman. The importance of Dr. Van Valkenburg's little experiment may seem equally mysterious. And yet, it might—it just might—change the history of the human race.

The world is about to enter the age of the ballistic missile. The Soviets are testing medium range ballistic missiles at the remarkable rate of five a month. It is hoped that the U.S. will fire a test version of the very long range intercontinental missile, known as "Atlas," this year.

The ballistic missile has been known as the "ultimate weapon" because, until Dr. Van Valkenburg came along, there seemed no conceivable defense against it. Atlas, for example, will travel half round the world with its nuclear warhead at

a speed of 16,000 miles an hour, or thereabouts. Trying to bring it down with another missile would be about as futile as shooting at a very high flying goose with a twenty-two rifle.

The way to bring down a goose, of course, is to shoot it in range, with a shotgun. Dr. Van Valkenburg's experiment suggests that a ballistic missile could be brought down in rather the same way.

Another missile or a satellite vehicle could be exploded electronically in the path of an oncoming ballistic missile. A fragment of the exploded missile or satellite, coming in contact with the oncoming missile at speeds far greater than the magic 8,500 miles an hour, would have the mysterious explosive effect. It might thus be expected to explode or cripple the ballistic missile.

Pure Science

The Air Research and Development Command is proceeding with experiments along this line, which are of course highly secret. But Dr. Van Valkenburg's original experiment was not secret at all, simply because it was an experiment in pure scientific research, with no foreseeable military application at all.

Dr. Van Valkenburg's little experiment, which may have such far-reaching consequences, thus illustrates the real meaning of the row in the Pentagon.

Secretary of Defense Charles E. Wilson prides himself on being a practical man, and, as he has said, he sees no reason why the Defense Department should fool around with finding out "why the grass is green," or such nonsense. Defense should concern itself only with research leading to practical military applications.

To this end, Wilson has appointed Frank D. Newbury, a septuagenarian engineer who shares his views, as overlord of all Defense Department research and development. The appointment has already led to a major clash between Newbury and the Defense Science Board, and the resignation of one distinguished scientist. Other scientists working for the Defense Department are unhappy to the point of despair.

Their despair is understandable if one ponders the tale of Dr. Van Valkenburg's pellets.

Little Persistence

HE'S six years old with the face of an angel and the persistence of the devil. Right now, he's a charming little innocent, Look, he's sitting in a home-made tepee in a corner of the sunny field that edges the ravine.

The poles of his tepee are the poles his father uses for training runner beans in summer. Against all rules, he's taken them from the shed by the kitchen garden. With the secateurs filched from the hook inside the basement door, he's cut himself a lot of fir branches to make the walls of his tepee.

There he sits in his little bower of green, and looks over the misty blue of the ravine where the maples are coming into blossom and the springtime creek is rushing over the rounded boulders.

Isn't it a charming scene full of trailing glory?

Because it's spring and lovely weather, his mother's left the housework and is going through the orchard to have a little time with her youngest child. What a darling little thing, she thinks. What a lovely noble brow. What clear blue eyes. What lovely thoughts he must be having. Give them beautiful surroundings in their early years and their thoughts will be beautiful!

"What are you doing?" she asks with casual curiosity.

"Just flinkin'," comes the answer.

"What are you thinking about?"

"Blood," he says with monosyllabic grimness.

"It's interesting, isn't it?" she says, picking up the remnants of her easy dreams.

So they sit in the sun and talk about blood. They talk about how the cat likes to lick up blood from the dish the liver lay in. They



Ruth

talk about little Johnnie So-and-So who had a nose-bleed and "it bled right on his shoes."

And, that's the keyword, "Shoes." For this morning started badly with a battle over shoes. He'd wanted oxblood polish on his brand new scampers. But Mummy had said that oxblood was the wrong color. It would have to be the dark tan, she said.

"I want oxblood," he had said and stalked up to the sunny field.

His mother had thought the subject was closed. For her littlest angel the subject had not been closed at all.

"Oh dear," she says to herself with the sun-shine warm on her back and the beauty of the ravine spread below, "I can see his point. Oxblood is such a lovely name. If I were four and a little boy, I'd be thrilled to death to go to town with oxblood on my shoes. Not quite as good as Johnnie's nose-bleed but the next best thing, I guess."

"But if I give in over this, I'm just stirring up trouble for the future when he'll go quietly on for hours hoping that I'll give in because I did the time he wanted oxblood on his shoes. And yet it seems so silly to make an issue over such a little thing."

Yes, that's the problem. He doesn't whine. He's just very quiet and most determined. If his mother gives in, he'll leap to his feet with a joyful cry of "You put on the polish and I'll do the shining." He'll be happy and helpful all day long. He'll be so proud of his oxblood shoes that he'll look at them with every step he takes.

If she doesn't give in, he'll bow quietly to authority. But, instead of prancing, he'll trudge through the remainder of the day. He will likely say that his new shoes hurt him, and that oxblood would have made them softer on his toes!

Yes, he's a tiresome, persistent little boy. He's very like what his mother was at that same age.

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

YOUR HEALTH

Diet and Hardening Arteries

Dr. Walter C. Alvarez is Executive Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic, and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

Mr. Wendell Weed, news editor of Modern Medicine, recently had an interview with Dr. Ancel Keys, who is Professor and Director of the Laboratory of physiological hygiene in the School of Public Health of the University of Minnesota. Dr. Keys has been travelling about the world studying the relation between diet and hardening of the arteries and the incidence of heart attacks. He has found that in some countries there is much coronary heart disease while in other countries there is little.

Naturally, all of us physicians are now much interested to know if, by studying this difference, we can find out how to reduce the incidence of arteriosclerosis and heart attacks in this country.

For instance, in Japan, coronary heart disease is rare. On the other hand, in Finland it is frequent. In the rural agricultural population of eastern Finland it appears to be at least as prevalent as it is in America. This is very interesting because these people are free from the stresses and strains of business and they are engaged in strenuous physical activity which is supposed to be good for a man.

Insurance men have shown that persons who are overweight have a poorer expectation of life than have thin persons, but now Dr. Keys says that at least two-thirds of the men who have coronary heart attacks are not overweight and never were overweight.

Interesting is the observation that when, during the World Wars the people of a country had to pull in their belts and go without much fat, the incidence of coronary heart disease fell. After the war, when they could eat fats again, the incidence of heart disease went back up.

SAFER IN AFRICA

Negroes in Africa appear to have a low incidence of heart disease while those in the United States have a rather high incidence.



Dr. Alvarez

Although the Japanese in Japan have a low incidence of heart disease, when in Hawaii or California and they come to eat as Americans do, the frequency with which they suffer from coronary heart disease goes up.

One fact then seems definite, and this is that a high-fat diet is associated with hardening of the arteries. But if we take fats away from people we cannot be sure that the amount of their blood cholesterol (a fat-like substance that seems to do most of the harm) will come down. The difficulty is that much of the cholesterol in the body is made in the body and not derived from the fat eaten.

Today, there is excitement over the possibility that certain fats, especially of vegetable origin, may not cause a rise in blood cholesterol. I shall not go into this here because, as yet, nothing seems to be definite and settled.

As far as we know, fat in the diet is not the cause of high blood pressure. Also, coronary heart disease does not appear to be dependent on the presence of high blood pressure. However, if a man has hardening of the arteries, he is worse off if he gets hypertension. He can be worse off, also, if he has a marked tendency to clotting in his blood.

Today, a big question, can we, by any test, pick out the man who is soon going to get a heart attack? By measuring blood fats (including cholesterol) we can say that a group of men are more likely to get heart attacks, but we cannot say that any particular man will get into trouble.

CHECK-UP USEFUL

Certainly, today, any man of 40 who goes for a routine check-up should have his blood cholesterol measured. My friend, Dr. John Gofman believes that a measurement of certain of the blood lipids (fats) will give the best prediction as to a future heart attack, but this question is still being debated.

It is not so necessary to study the blood fats of women because they are nowhere near so subject to heart attacks as men are.

Victoria: Mostly sunny today and Friday except cloudy Friday evening. Not much change in temperature. Light winds. Low tonight and high Friday 45 and 52.

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ACROSS THE PROVINCE

Chinese Takes Fire Oath In Constable Bribe Case

From CP Dispatches

VANCOUVER — A 19-year-old Chinese took an oath by fire Wednesday before testifying in assize court that a city police sergeant stopped him on a speeding charge Dec. 20 and took \$9 from him.

The youth, Gow Foon Gun, watched while flames licked through a piece of paper on which he had written his name.

He then swore that his soul would "burn in fire" just as his name was burning if he did not tell the truth.

Foon Gun is the chief prosecution witness in the trial of Sgt. Cecil McIntosh. McIntosh is charged with intent to interfere with the administration of justice, protecting a person from punishment and extorting money by threatening to accuse.

As the Chinese took the stand before Mr. Justice A. M. Mansor and a jury of 11 men and one woman he explained through an interpreter that he is a "Toadist."

Mr. Justice Mansor agreed to accept his oath by paper burning.

The case is continuing.

In a separate case, Kit Wong Lum, 21, was remanded until next Tuesday for formal commitment on a charge of attempting to bribe police constable F. G. Rayner.

The constable testified that he was offered \$2 March 20 to "forget" a speeding infraction. Lum was previously fined \$25 when he pleaded guilty to the speeding charge.

RETURN TO WORK

VANCOUVER — Club and cabaret workers went back to work in seven clubs here Wednesday, ending an 18-day strike and lockout.

The employees, members of Local 740 of the Club and Cabaret Workers, accepted a 9 per cent pay increase, retroactive to Jan. 1, plus a further increase of three cents an hour next year on a two-year contract.

The workers went on strike at two clubs March 28 over a demand that the clubs pay the full seven cents an hour cost of a health and welfare plan, and the operators retaliated by locking out employees of five other clubs. The welfare clause remains unchanged in the new contract.

PGE DAYLINER DERAILED

SQUAMISH — The Pacific Great Eastern Cariboo dayliner was derailed 18 miles north of Squamish Wednesday night.

An auxiliary train was sent in, and brought the passengers through Squamish and 10 miles on to Porteau, 35 miles north of Vancouver.

There the track had been blocked by a slide. A speedboat took the passengers on to Vancouver.

This morning's train did not leave North Vancouver because the slide has not been cleared. A special boat left with the passengers, who will catch the northbound train at Squamish for Prince George.

STRING OF CRIMES

VANCOUVER — A 31-year-old man who ran up a string of crimes from coast to coast in Canada was sentenced Wednesday to 12 concurrent terms of one year each on charges of theft, forgery and possession of stolen money orders.

Joseph Walker of no fixed address pleaded guilty to charges which included theft of 20 blank money-order forms at Springdale, Nfld., uttering seven forged \$100 money orders in Ontario, passing two forged money orders in Nova Scotia and attempting to pass another in Vancouver.

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'TOO WELL ROUNDED' TEACHERS SPARK OFFICIAL BAN ON SLACKS

BERLIN (Reuters) — The East Germany education ministry has ruled that women teachers must not wear slacks to classes. It fears they may have trouble keeping discipline — particularly if their figures are "too well-rounded."

The Journal Lehrerzeitung reports the ban and printed letters from four teachers who complained their principal had forbidden them on "moral grounds" to wear slacks.

UBC Gets New Faculty Centre As Koerners Donate \$500,000

VANCOUVER (UPI) — Chancellor-elect A. E. Grauer told the University of British Columbia's Alumni Association Wednesday night that a \$500,000 faculty centre would soon be erected on the campus as a "gift" from two of the university's friends.

It was the second major gift to be earmarked for the university within 12 hours.

President Dr. Norman A. M. MacKenzie earlier Wednesday announced receipt by the university of \$250,000 from the B.C. Electric Co., of which Mr. Grauer is president.

EARLY START
Mr. Grauer said the new faculty centre would be financed entirely by Mr. and Mrs. Leon T. Koerner. He said the structure would serve as "a professional home," where members of the university community can "mingle, exchange ideas and increase the sense of teamwork, so essential a part of university life."

Plans were being prepared for an early start on construction, he said.

Mr. Grauer outlined details of the university's recently-announced capital gift campaign, to be officially launched this fall.

Minimum objective in the drive will be \$3,000,000 and the sum will be matched by

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Settlement

Chance Seen In Walkout

Chance of a settlement in the wildcat walkout of 175 workers at Sooke Lake Lumber Co. plywood plant was forecast for today by IWA president Jack MacKenzie, of local 1-118, at the Victoria Labor Council Wednesday.

A meeting was scheduled between interested parties at 2 p.m. when the strikers will hear a new company proposal.

Walkout, not officially sanctioned by the union, happened when a foreman replaced a charge hand on a job.

GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH GOES ON AS USUAL

Tigers Fight Death Duel Before Horrified 15,000

NEW YORK (UPI) — A male and a female tiger fought to the death in a circus ring before a matinee audience of squealing children Wednesday.

Rajah sprang with bared fangs at her throat. With teeth and claws he drew blood through her black and golden coat. Ila fought back, but was no match for the attacking male as they closed in a snarling, untamed fury.

Bale threw chairs and pedestals at the beasts and fired blank cartridges in an attempt to separate them. Other circus attendants used poles from outside the cage. Their efforts came too late to save Ila. She died less than an hour later in her basement cage.

Ten other tigers sat almost motionless on their pedestals in the same caged ring for five long minutes as trainer Trevor Bale attempted to separate the fighting beasts. Ila had provoked the great

male Bengal tiger, Rajah, by cutting in front of him as Bale signalled the 500-pound cats toward the chute leading off stage at the end of their act.

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Trevor Bale, veterinarian for the Ringling

Brothers and Barnum and Bailey circus, said Rajah had no serious injury.

Bale said that the tigers are paired in their cages and are generally unfriendly to other than their own cage-mates. Ila was not Rajah's mate.

The show went on. The clowns turned somersaults and the children laughed.

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DRAMA FESTIVAL

CHILLIWACK — The British Columbia regional drama festival will be held here March 17-20 next year as part of B.C. centennial activity in the Chilliwack area, it was announced Wednesday.

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REWARD for more than 50 pints of blood donated to the Red Cross was given Mrs. Alisen Randle, 1898 Quamichan, in the form of a "50th pin."

presented by Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross, at ceremony Wednesday night.—(Times photo)

Governor Lauds 61 Blood Donors At Award Presentation Ceremony

Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross presented awards to 61 blood donors and "great humanitarians" at a ceremony in Red Cross House Wednesday night.

The awards are "tangible evidence of what you have given out your inner soul is where you will get your reward," he told the gathering.

Total of 53 donors had given 50 pints of blood each, and eight had given 30 to 50 or more pints.

On the platform with the lieutenant-governor were Maj. R. A. C. Hogarth, chairman of the Victoria Blood Donor Transfusion Service, and Dr. Olga Jardine, president of Victoria City and District branch of the Red Cross.

50 PINTS

Pins were won by the following: Mrs. Alisen Randle, for 50 pints of blood; Cecil T. Hayes, 40 pints; Miss Betty Kerr, 30 pints; John H. Dougan, 30 pints; M. J. Nickels, 30 pints; PO Harold Booth, 30 pints; Rev. G. R. Easter, 30 pints, and P. G. Raven, 30 pints.

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LONG LITIGATION ENDS

East Indian Fails To Get Back \$9,000

An East Indian fuel dealer paid \$9,000 over to the managing director of a sawmill company at Mission. When the mill burned down he asked for the money back.

This simple request—and its refusal—led to a long chain of litigation ending in the B.C. Appeal Court Wednesday when three judges dismissed the appeal of fuel dealer Nargen Singh against Nargen Singh Grewall managing director of the burned-out and now bankrupt sawmill.

Nargen, who does not read or write English, claimed that he paid the money to Grewall in 1952 as security for an almost unlimited supply of sawdust and wood fuel from the Fraser View Sawmills Ltd. at Mission.

He said the money was appropriated and used by the company without his consent.

"Nargen did not know the company was using his money until the sawmill was destroyed by fire in 1953," Ronald Howard, his counsel, told the Appeal Court.

"He went to Grewall and asked for his money back. Grewall said 'No, it is being used in the mill.' Nargen replied that he never gave permission for his money to be so used."

Dismissing his appeal from an

GOVERNOR HOPES NEW MANSION WON'T BE 'HIDEOUSLY MODERN'

Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross apologized for his dress at the blood donor awards ceremony at Red Cross House Wednesday night.

The governor, who had flown from Vancouver for the ceremony, said:

"This is the one suit I have left at the moment." Obviously moved, he described his personal sense of loss in the fire which destroyed Government House early Monday.

"Out of those ashes will rise a new Government House," he said. "It will probably be hideously modern, but my wife and myself will try to put into that house the same friendliness and hospitality that has been enjoyed in all the terms of my predecessors."

tions of 20 pints of blood went to Donald Abbiss, Sidney J. Adamson, Cyril P. Axhorn, Malcolm P. Biggs, William C. Blackstaffe, Douglas H. Brock, Albert Burden, Mrs. Helen Burden, Alexander B. Campbell, A. J. Clark, Mrs. Audrey Cooke, Stephen F. Corless, Victor G. Coventry, PO Francis H. Coverdale, RCN, Charles V. Cumming, Thomas L. Dale, Stephen Davy, Lieut.-Cmdr. R. E. Dyson, RCN, Arthur E. Evans, H. Ford, Mrs. A. L. Guyette, Anton Herberholz, H. Seymour Kent, R. A. McLeod, Mrs. Inez K. Mottershead, Leslie E. Moutray, PO Earle F. Paulsen, RCN.

Also Mrs. Violet E. Pellow, Nicolas Perrault, Volmer M. Petersen, Mrs. Rhoda Phillips, Miss Eva J. Rendall, John A. Robertson, C. Lee Roueche, Thormod B. K. Solheim, Mrs. Jean Stewart, Miss Evelyn Tait, Frank Thompson, Mrs. Jean E. Walker, Mrs. Catherine Williams, WO2 Charles A. Cornfield, Canadian Army, PO David E. Graves, RCN, PO William G. Hargreaves, RCN, Geoffrey W. Pitt and Mrs. M. Hopkins.

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Mr. Howard said one of the main difficulties in the case was that Nargen did not read or write English and his evidence had to be given through an interpreter.

"As he could not write he made his mark on cheques paid to the company."

The appeal judges found there was evidence to show that Grewall had committed a breach of trust in using Nargen's money.

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Ex-Newsman Mayor Of B.C.'s Newest City

WHITE ROCK, B.C. (CP)—White, William Hodgson, William Offer, Alex Mitchell and Len Parker became mayor and six aldermen of British Columbia's newest city were sworn in Wednesday night at ceremonies attended by 200 White Rock residents in the interim city hall.

The city has a population of 10,000.

The oath of office was administered by Mr. Justice Harry Sullivan, first to mayor-elect Defieux and then to the six aldermen—W. C. Shields, Edwin

Mayor Defieux introduced the new city clerk, Neil Saunders; the assessor, John Neil, and the superintendent of administration, Leslie Bryce.

As its first official act, the new council considered and passed a token by-law, moved and seconded by councillors Hodgson and Mitchell.

The council will get right down to business, with its first official meeting called for 7.30 tonight.

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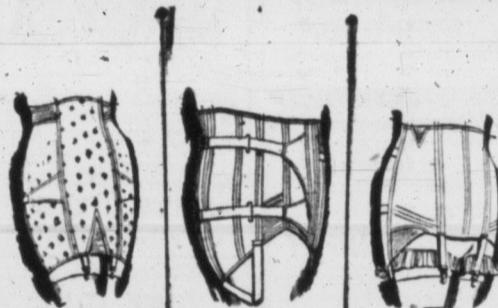
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Escapes Caught

NANAIMO—Three Brannan Lake Corrective Training School boys who escaped Tuesday night were arrested early Wednesday at Duncan.

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PARIS (Reuters)—Francois Sagan, 21-year-old novelist who received serious head and body injuries in a car accident Sunday, slept seven hours and spent an excellent night, doctors said Wednesday. Doctors plan to set her broken collar bone within two days if she continues to make progress.

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CHILDREN'S MOVIE GUIDE

Week of Friday, April 19, to Thursday, April 25
This table of classifications is prepared by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council and is based chiefly upon reviews in "Parents' Magazine" and the Monthly Bulletin of the National Film Institute. With the co-operation of Victoria theatre managers, it covers current films.

Title	Children (8-12 Years)	Youths (13-18 Years)
All That Heaven Allows	No	for fans of the stars
Animal World, The	Fair	Excellent
At Gunpoint	Mature	Fair
Baby and the Battleship, The	Too brutal	Good
Battleground, The	Excellent, but needs interpretation	Good
Bounty Hunter	Excellent	Good
Boy on a Dolphin	No review available	Good
Captain Pirate	No	Good
Dam Busters	Excellent	Good
Dam Little Lady	Mature but excellent	Excellent
Daniel Boone, Trailblazer	No review available	Good
Duel in the Jungle	No (ages 8-10) mature	Good of kind
Four Girls in Town	No	Mature
Great American Pastime, The	Excellent	Amusing
Hill, The Hypnotist	Mature but good	Very good
Hondo	No review available	Excellent
Jailbuster	Excellent	Fair
King and I, The	Mature	Good of kind
Lady and the Tramp	Excellent	Excellent
Last of the Buccaneers	Mature	Excellent
Man from U.N.C.L.E.	No	Very good
Reach for the Sky	Excellent	Excellent
Robe, The	Mature but good	Very good
Robe, The, Louis, The	Excellent	Excellent
Walk the Proud Land—Westward Ho, the Wagons	Very good	Very good
West of Eagles, The	Excellent	Excellent
Yearling, The	Excellent	Excellent
You're Never Too Young	Excellent	Excellent

TWO FOR THE SHOW

By PHIL LEE

(BE PLUS) "MISTER CORY" (Odeon)—You'll never believe the plot and the setting and theme have all the down-to-earthness of a banana split. Nonetheless, this tale of a slum-raised boy with caviar in his eyes makes for better-than-average entertainment.

The plot, in brief: Born in a Chicago tenement district with a built-in mastery of the poker chips, Tony Curtis is determined to make his way up the financial and social ladder no matter who he uses as rungs. As a bus boy in a swank summer resort, he sees and falls for socialite Martha Hyer and woos her with some success until she sees him washing dishes.

Later, however, under the aegis of professional gambler

—Direction by Blake Edwards was good and the entire cast conducted itself in sound fashion.

Charles Bickford, Curtis hits the gold pot and establishes himself in a swank gambling den in Chicago and Martha undergoes a half-change of heart. Although she won't marry him she's quite willing to have fun and games with him in his apartment. Only after he is shot by Martha's fiance, William Reynolds, does Tony awake to what Martha is, a 23-carat tramp. However, he doesn't pine long. For like the man who sued the passing of Clementine he discovered that it is more fun bussing little sister Kathryn Grant, a most engaging youngster.

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IN HOME-TEACHING CASE

Appeal 'Unwise' Says A-G's Office

COURTENAY — The attorney-general's department has advised the Courtenay school board to drop proceedings against a Comox couple given the right to keep their son out of school.

Juvenile Car Thief Sent to Oakalla

COURTENAY — A juvenile received an indeterminate sentence in the young offenders unit at Oakalla Prison in Courtenay police court Wednesday.

The youth was convicted of stealing a car April 13 in the Courtenay area.

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ISLAND DIGEST

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Got to Die Of Something' Says Doctor

Different Views At Cancer Panel

NANAIMO (CP) — Two Vancouver cancer specialists disagreed on the relationship between smoking and lung cancer at a cancer forum here this week.

Dr. Harold E. Taylor, professor of pathology at the University of British Columbia, gave a definite "No" when asked, "Is smoking a cause of lung cancer?"

Dr. Roger Wilson, Vancouver surgeon and clinic specialist, also on the panel of four doctors, said: "There is no doubt that smoking is a predisposing cause of cancer of the lungs. The evidence is overwhelming. But it does not prevent me smoking. After all, you have got to die of something."

Dr. John Hough of Nanaimo was moderator. On the panel besides Dr. Wilson and Taylor were Dr. Gordon Blott and Dr. Thomas Golding of Nanaimo.

400 LISTEN

Dr. Taylor told the audience of 400 that science is getting closer to understanding the cause of cancer.

He said there is no proof that treatment for cancer given at the Hoxsey Clinic in Texas has any real effect on malignant growths but the medical profession did not condemn it.



BRENTWOOD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

will present three-act operetta "Princess Chrysanthemum" in W.I. hall next Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Alex Cuthbert directs 56-cast presentation. Principals are, left to right, William Fortune, Mrs. Harold Simpson, Miss Sylvia Cave, Clarence Covell, Bob Cunningham and, rear, Bob Gibson. — (Dickens photo)

New Scottish Platoon For Chemainus

CHEMAINUS — Permission has been granted for the formation here of a new platoon of "A" Company Canadian Scottish.

While recruit training will be held at the Duncan Armoury, after the platoon has been organized and trained, it will then only be necessary for local members to attend one parade a month at Duncan. At least 21 men are needed before a platoon can be formed.

Those interested are asked to write or contact RSM Alec Crabbie, Chemainus, or Major J. Gallagher, "A" Company, Armoury, Duncan.

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WHAT'S YOUR PLEASURE, BARITONE OR BASS?

Other practice chores over for the night and tonsils tuned up, this trio of Shamrocks prepares to brush up on new battle song of Victoria's Intercity Lacrosse League entry, Ontario import Jack Howse (centre)



WHAT'S THE SCORE?
BY
Denny Boyd

It has been proven, conclusively—oh, hundreds of times—that the Times can beat That Other Paper to swab-back submission in anything from news-hawking to a loafer contest between the respective sports editors, who shall remain nameless this time.

(And if I ever write another sentence like that I will be back at my old job of plucking bugs off tomato plants.)

All this is a matter of record. And the record will be immeasurably embellished Friday when the Times All-Star soccer team scores its inevitable victory over That Other Paper's All-Stars* in a game of shin-hackers at Athletic Park. This is not conjecture. It is fact.

You do not bet that the sun will come up tomorrow. You just know it is going to happen. Victory for the Times is equally certain.

However, fear not, gentle reader. There will be a measure of competition in this game. It will not be quite so one-sided as a stomping contest between an elephant and a rhino.

As manager of the Times All-Stars, I was placed squarely on the spot last night, but I must say, I came through with admirable poise and open-handed generosity.

I was asked to bail That Other Team out of the flaming trouble they are in.

I received a phone call from my opposition manager, Jim Tang, who, in a voice quivering with piteous humility, asked if I would save his professional reputation.

Jim was in trouble, player-wise.

He said that his team needed two skips, a third and an experienced lead.

After I told him that we weren't playing that game, I became recklessly generous and offered to trade him one of my many goaldies, Archie McMillan, and just the best half-back in the city, Harold Holroyd.

However, for my generosity, I received a warm glow in my bosom by knowing that I had freed Paul Simpson, George Wright, and Alex Stewart from bondage with That Other Paper's team.

At this point I suppose it is only honest and fitting to admit that I had been informed earlier that Holroyd would not be in town for the game.

(Oh, I tell you, this is a cut-throat business.)

In addition to the players, I included an undisclosed sum of money in the deal to help rescue That Other Paper's team from financial collapse, brought about by mismanagement.

All this I did in good faith.

After all, the game's the thing. It's bigger than the both of us.

Wright, Stewart and Simpson, when they heard they had been traded from That Other Paper's team to the Times All-Stars, could only say in choked voices, "Thank you . . . thank you."

It was touching and I felt rather like Lincoln, emancipating the slaves.

DETROIT GETAWAY STALLED

Those Kansas Yanks Lousing Up Tigers

By The United Press

Those ex-Yankees masquerading as the Kansas City Athletics occupy first place in the American League today—and they've done their old teammates a big favor, to boot, by getting the Detroit Tigers off to a poor start.

The Athletics made it two in a row over the Tigers, 5-4, in the only major league game played Wednesday and for the second straight day an ex-Yankee did the honors. Tom Morgan stopped the Tigers on four hits in Tuesday's opener and ex-Yank farmhand Wally Burnette turned in 5 1/3 scoreless relief innings yesterday to pick up the victory.

It can be argued that they were just two games played in April and will be forgotten by Memorial Day. But, nevertheless, they are significant for at least two reasons:

1. They bear out Kansas City manager Lou Boudreau's contention that the 12 ex-Yankees on his roster have made his Athletics a formidable team which is almost certain to quit the AL cellar.

2. And, they've served to put the "stopper" on rookie manager Jack Tighe's No. 1 spring project—getting the Tigers off to a fast start. Poor Tighe must be wondering today what's going to happen when he runs up against the "Real Yankees."

Bob Cerv, still another ex-Yankee, started the Athletics' winning fourth-inning rally when he blasted a triple and he scored the game's decisive run on Joe DeMaestri's single. Burnette, who took over the mound in the top of

CRICKETERS SET MAY 4 FOR OPENER

Players in the Victoria and District Cricket League will soon be breaking their whites out of mothballs and smoothing the used oil into their bats as the opening of the 1957 season, May 4, draws near.

Carrying on to mid-September, the schedule will be confined primarily to Victoria and Duncan with occasional invitationals matches with mainland teams.

RCAF Ruggers' Boost Experience, Power

RCAF Astrals rugby team of Winnipeg will fly here for a Saturday game with JBAA at Macdonald Park. The flyers will bring 3 players, the majority of whom have had considerable experience in English league play.

A potent three-quarter line will be the airmen's first weapon of offence as it sports such experienced players as D. W. Hill, scrum half, with two years with division "A," London Welsh; T. L. Jones, stand-off half, who played with Immanuel College, Cambridge; B. J. Anderson, centre, who played with Birkenhead Park; P. J. Herring, wing, of Cambridgeshire.

The scrum would not appear as strong, but it has A. M. Chandler,

in the front row, who made the all-RAF trials and toured Australia with an RAF College team in 1953; wing forward C. L. Thompson played with Surrey Schools, and N. D. Collier, who played in the second row of the scrum for London Counties Schools.

Returning home for the game will be fullback C. C. McCreadie, who played last year with the Victoria College Vikings. He left college to join the air force and was posted to Winnipeg.

The average age of the visiting team is 20 years, but they represent a wealth of accumulated experience in the sport.

Game time at Macdonald Park is 2:30.

'Lard-Hips' Luce Seeks Revenge

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. (CP) — It may have been poetic justice that goalie Lucien Dechene was a vital figure in Brandon Regals' 4-3 victory over New Westminster Royals in the first game of the Western Hockey League.

Exactly two years before Dechene played goal for the Royals for the last time.

The Royals had lost and Dechene was shuffling to the dressing room. A fan jeered: "Goodbye, Lard-Hips!"

Dechene's dietary problems had plagued the Royals' that winter and his passion for victory had left him with the silhouette of an Easter egg.

Before another hockey season began he graduated

Magna Cum Lardy to the Brandon Regals.

Tuesday night he hobbled the Royals steadily in the first two periods and made key saves in the third.

"Always this winter, Lou made the big save," said Don Raleigh, Brandon coach, after the game. "When he comes through it gives us a chance to get the big goal. You can look it up how big his saves were in the records."

"For sure at least my best season evair," said Dechene, towelling himself after the game. Stripped, he still exhibited a bit of a balcony south of his chest, but it was not the corporation it used to be.

"Yes," he admitted. "I've

reduced. Before I am 228. Now I am regular 195."

Second game of the best-of-seven final goes here tonight. The first game came near being the last of the season, and for many years to come, in New Westminster.

Chairman Bill Russell of the New Westminster Park Board Tuesday insisted that the Royals pay 17½ per cent of the gate from all playoff games as rental for the Queen's Park Arena.

"I have lost a good deal of money," Vancouver's Mayor Fred Hume, who owns the Royals, told the board and reporters. "I enjoy the games and I believe it would be a shame if the people of New

Westminster are deprived of professional hockey."

"However, if you gentlemen insist on 17½ per cent the Royals will finish this series in Brandon or Calgary. I have brought president Al Leader of the Western Hockey League to confirm this plan."

Leader urged a compromise. Finally, after Hail Laycock, Royals player-manager, described the arena as a barn and the ice indescribably bad, the board agreed to a 16½ per cent cut on all playoff games there this year.

If Royals win tonight's game, a third game will be played here Saturday night. Otherwise the series shifts to Brandon.

Flyers May Leave WHL If Demands Not Satisfied

Threaten 'Shock' Move; Will Not Rehire Poile

EDMONTON (CP) — The Journal says Edmonton Flyers are withdrawing, at least temporarily, from the professional Western Hockey League in an attempt to "shock the game into adopting a realistic approach to its financial and physical problems."

The newspaper says it has learned from an authoritative source that WHL President Al Leader of Seattle has sent a formal notice of withdrawal by the Edmonton Exhibition Association, which sponsors the hockey club.

Exhibition association officials said they were not prepared to confirm or deny the report.

The Journal story, by sports editor Hal Pawson, says the Edmonton decision to withdraw doesn't appear to be final, but a move to do two things: Force western professional hockey to review its financial commitments and spark a move aimed at more-equitable distribution of hockey benefits.

FOLLOWS POILE DECISION

The report follows Tuesday night's announcement by the association that it doesn't plan to exercise its option to renew the contract of Flyer coach Bud Poile, who has been at the helm for five years. The Journal says the Edmonton letter to Leader was sent hours after informing Poile of its decision.

MEETS RESIDE

Faced with the job of stopping Pellow in Sunday's quarter-final round at Colwood is clubmate Al Reside, who did a bit of upsetting of his own last Sunday when he knocked over Laurie Carroll, Oak Bay's assistant pro, 4 and 3.

In another of the top matches, Gorge Vale pro, Joe Pryke, will face fellow-professional Bill Court of Colwood who shunted medalist and former champion Bill McCall to the sidelines in a 1-up thriller. Long-hitting George Bigelow of Oak Bay will bid for a semifinal berth against Bob Woods of Colwood and dark-horse threat Roy Chappell of the Gorge course faces Joe Briggs of Gorge.

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Bigelow got by Don Barton, 3 and 2, in the second round, and Woods made it with a 3 and 2 decision over Bob Kelly.

Semifinal matches will be played at Gorge Vale April 27 and the 36-hole final is scheduled at Uplands May 5.

The paper says both decisions

— regarding Poile and withdrawal from the league—are open to reconsideration if the exhibition board obtains its objectives, which demand positive assurances that a professional hockey can be operated in the West on anything approaching a no-loss basis.

The board seeks a more equitable distribution of hockey benefits, the newspaper says, because it feels they now all favor the National Hockey League and contain no encouragement for hockey below that level.

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BEST BONSPIEL SNIPERS

As proud as their smiles indicate are members of the rink which gained the greatest number of points in a tri-service bonspiel in Vancouver last month. Left to right, members of the 4th

Light Anti-Aircraft Battery—rink are skip Gnr. Fred Kerr; third, Bdr. Ward Snyder; lead, L/Bdr. Jack Trefry, and second, Bdr. Tom Clifford. — (Times photo by Irving Strickland)

Ack-Acks on Target With Sports Record

By GRAHAM COX

They have been doing it quietly, but a group of young men in Esquimalt have been going efficiently about the business of collecting provincial and Western Canada sports championships.

Feats of the athletes in question are usually camouflaged by a layer of khaki and they seldom appear in the more publicized sports leagues or events. They are members of an army unit—the 4th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery—stationed at Work Point Barracks.

However, they are up against strong competition in the various service leagues and their talents have been sufficient to keep the trophy case outside the unit quarter-master's office well stocked with trophies.

TOP RINK

A curling rink from the unit competed with three other Army quartets at Vancouver last month in the annual Tri-Services Bonspiel against four-rink squads from the RCAF and Navy. The Army piled up the greatest number of points and the rink from the 4th "Ack-Ack" paced the victory by racketing up the top individual total.

Gnr. Fred Kerr skipped the rink with Bdr. Ward Snyder tossing third rocks. Bdr. Tom Clifford playing second and L/Bdr. Jack Trefry holding down the lead spot. Handling the lead spot. Handling the squad was Lieut. Lorne Kendall.

Out of a possible 100 points, the Work Point aggregation compiled 76 and was far out in front in the race for the trophy for the leading rink.

The whole battery is proud of their little man with the big fists.

Gunner B. A. Harrison is still in Kingston, Ont., where last week he challenged for the Canadian Army novice lightweight boxing crown.

He was one of eight members of the battery who entered elimination bouts at Esquimalt for places in the B.C. championships at Chilliwack. Harrison picked up the B.C. title and added the Western Canada crown at Calgary.

LOSES DECISION

His victory skin came to an end at Kingston, but it took two bouts to drop him out of the running. He punched out a decision in his opening match and lost a close verdict in his second battle.

The eight-man volleyball team travelled a long road before adding its contribution to the trophy case.

It had to beat all other Army units in the area for a crack at the Navy team in the Island semi-final. Next step up the ladder was the Island final, when the Ack-Acks ran into stiff competition from Comox Air Force Base.

The title shot came April 5 at Sea Island when they met the Air Force again in the B.C. playdowns. This time it was easy for the tournament veterans and they took their opposition in three straight games for the title.

With these three major titles under their belts, it is not to be understood that this is all they do in the way of sports.

They have regular bowling leagues and a red hot softball loop.

In addition there is a continuous small-bore shooting competition that produces many fine shots for the unit.

The small-arms group and the curling rinks are the only teams that presently compete with non-military teams.

During the summer, the bat-

HERE'S HOW AND WHERE

Going Fishing Over Easter?

Mid-April days breed trout fever and unless the weather crosses us up, this weekend should bring the first large-scale invasion of Vancouver Island's inland waterways.

Although fishing hardly could be rated as better than fair in most trout spots, several places are due for some fast action—as soon as we get enough sun to bring out a good hatch or boost the water temperature a few degrees.

But even if fishing is slow, you can always toss a worm-baited hook out in the water and lay back to enjoy the outdoor air while waiting for a float to bob under the water. Float fishing, incidentally, is producing some fair trout catches in some of the smaller lakes.

And you don't have to go far from Victoria for a chance to catch trout. It's mostly bait fishing or trolling, but there are fish coming out of **Thetis, Prospect, Elk and Beaver Lakes** and at **Elk and Beaver** there's a fair chance of hooking bass around the shoreline.

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A bit further out, **Shawnigan and Kemp Lakes** and **Rogers (Dougan's) Lake** are giving up some trout to trollers and fly-casters (try a yellow or orange-banded fly). On **Salt Spring Island**, **St. Mary's Lake** is reported a poor bet for bass, but **Cusheon Lake** could be worth a try for trout.

If you're going a bit further, **Cowichan River** tapered off a bit with rising water, but is still one of the best producers with a few steelhead still in the stream and trout available from the headwaters to the mouth. Bottom fishing is giving the best results, although cutthroats are taking small spoons and silver-bodied flies in the lower reaches.

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Trollers are scoring in **Cowichan, Somenos and Quamichan Lakes** and near **Nanaimo**, the gang troll is bringing in trout at **Divers, Brannan, Quesnell** and the **Nanaimo Lakes**.

There has been a good run of steelhead in the **Nanaimo River**, but reports suggest you skip the **Koksilah** and **Campbell Rivers**.

The same reports say you'll have a good chance for trout in the **Little Qualicum, Somass, Englishman's and Campbell Rivers**.

Things sound fairly good in the **Alberni District**, where trout are coming out of **Sproat, Great Central, Cameron, Summit and Dog Lakes** and the **Stamp, Sproat and Ash Rivers** and cutthroats are around the mouths of all rivers.

If it is steelhead you want, the **Salmon and San Juan Rivers** should be worth a trip.

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Bluebacks are still providing the most action for the salt-water fishing clan, but **Sonny Gicas** made some of the biggest news Wednesday morning when he landed a button-sized spring salmon at **Saanich Inlet**.

Fishing with **T. Captain** and **W. Burger** at **MacKenzie Bay**, Gicas hooked a 20-pounder on a **Strip-Teser** used with 12 ounces of weight. The trio also had a seven-pounder and six bluebacks.

After a slow spell last week, the Inlet has been a hot spot for the past few days and limit catches of grilse and small springs are being taken from all parts. Making things a bit more interesting is the fact that the blues started hitting bucktail flies again Tuesday afternoon.

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Among the anglers who have taken limit catches this week are **Mrs. Frank Nutall**, three successive days; **Bob Hamilton**, Mr. and Mrs. **A. G. McTaggart** and Mr. and Mrs. **John Rose**, two straight days; **Jim Harper** and **J. Jamieson**, **Gordon Aarons**, Mr. and Mrs. **Vince Reid**, **Ken Wringle**, **Al Riger** and **Vic Humphries**, who included a 15-pounder with his quota catch.

Another hot spot in the past week has been **Arbutus Point** off **Maple Bay**, where the blues have been grabbing bucktails, spoons and herring strip without any apparent preference. And they are still providing a good number of limit catches off **Crofton**.

FIGHT RESULTS

CHICAGO—Spider, Webb, 180. Chicago, outpointed Randy Sandy, 157. New York, 184. MINNEAPOLIS—Wayne Womochil, 184. Omaha, stopped Benny Mason, 178. St. Paul, 2.

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WIN CALDER CUP

Barons Thwart Billy's Amerks

CLEVELAND (AP)—A goal by Ken Hayden, his third of the game, won the American Hockey League's Calder Cup for the Cleveland Barons here Wednesday night as they defeated Billy Reay's Rochester Americans, 5-4, in a blazing double overtime contest before 9,505 fans.

The Barons, who entered the game leading the Americans three games to one in the best-of-seven series, captured the cup for the eighth time in the 21-year history of the circuit.

Centre Cal Stearns started the game winning play when he took a pass from defenceman Steve Kraftcheck at Barons end and started for the Rochester net.

The American defence moved in at the blue line and he dropped the puck to Hayden who skated straight at goalie Bob Perreault and shot from 50 feet out.

Perreault, who had made 27 saves, dove for the puck but it skidded into the Rochester net.

BREAKS DEADLOCK

The winning goal came in a sudden death overtime after two scoreless periods.

In the opening minutes of the game the Barons overwhelmed the Americans when Stearns scored at 6:37 and Hayden at 12:02.

With two Barons in the penalty box, Gordon Hannigan slammed a short shot past goalie Marcel Paille at 15:45 for the first Rochester score.

Less than a minute later, Earl

Winnipeg's Gordie Howe

scored his second goal of the game.

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Mrs. Todd Par Winner

Mrs. Jack Todd took par to the cleaners Wednesday to take first place in the "A" division of Victoria Golf Club's monthly ladies par competition, four down. Miss Jane Warter won the "B" division four down, and Mrs. G. H. Wheaton won in the "C" division play, all square.

Balfour broke away from the blue line and went in alone to score, tying the game 2-2.

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55 PONTIAC SEDAN—Heater, Blue and Ivory

55 PONTIAC SEDAN—Heater, overdrive, Green

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54 BUICK SPECIAL SEDAN—Radio and heater, Beige

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SION, Switzerland (Reuters)—Police Wednesday called off a massive 17-day manhunt for a missing convict after prison guards found him inside the prison—digging a tunnel. Police reported the escape route was almost finished. Another prisoner had been supplying the missing convict with food.

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Mr. Foster said he had drunk vodka in the United States and considered it "a very good drink." He hoped the "Canadian" vodka would be as good.

High-Ranking RCA Officers Here Next Month

High-ranking artillery officers from Eastern Canada will visit 4 Light Anti-Aircraft Battery next month during the unit's annual anti-aircraft firing camp at Albert Head.

Included will be Brig. R. M. Bishop, OBE, ED, commander of the Royal Artillery of the First Canadian Infantry Division with headquarters at Camp Petawawa, and Lieut-Col. W. D. H. Wrinch, CD, commanding officer of First Light Anti-Aircraft Regiment, Picton, Ont.

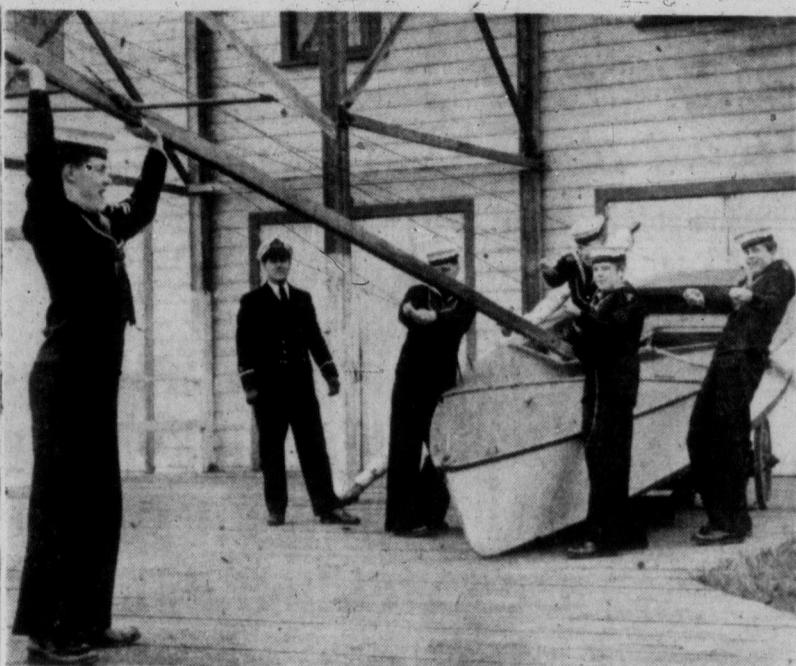
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Rainbow cadets raise mast of Lightning under watchful eye of Sub-Lieut. R. Forscutt. Cadets are, from left, LS M. Muirhead, AB K. Hancock, AB P. Jackson, OD R. Cooper and OD M. Hubber. (Robin Clarke photo)

PLEASURE AFLAFT

Cadets Like Sail Boat? Yes Sir! Came Soon as Anonymous Gift

Pride of RCSCC Rainbow is a graceful, gleaming, 21-foot Lightning class yacht which could hold her own with the under sail in these waters. Only a few seasons old, she's sound of plank and rigging and dressed with shimmering new nylon sails.

To a broker her market value would be anywhere from \$500 to \$1,000, and for the past 12 months she's been a pearl in the oyster of 195 sea cadets. She materialized overnight last spring and to this day no one in the corps knows where she came from.

Mystery began on the evening of the night in question when corps commanding officer Lt.-Cdr. T. A. Dando received an anonymous telephone call asking how his boys would like a Lightning sail boat.

Of course, they would, he said, but where would they get the money?

NEED NO MONEY

Not needed; the caller replied. The craft would be delivered to Rainbow without obligation.

And there it was next morning sitting at the foot of Robert Street, complete with mast and sails, just as it had been unloaded from a truck or trailer. Her acquisition brought boat strength of the corps to nine, or nearly one boat for every 20 cadets.

As with any yachting or boat club, where members are among the first persons to notice a seasonal tang in the air, spring finds cadets toiling to refit the fleet for six months of boat training and cruising in sheltered waters.

IMPROVISE

Officers and cadets do all their own fitting, painting and repairs, using oftentimes improvised facilities at Rainbow.

There are two 27-foot service whalers, one on loan from the RCN, the other owned by the corps. These are two-masted vessels which may be sailed or in training or competition pulled by sweeps.

Also property of the Navy League, which sponsors cadets, is a 24-foot pulling cutter, a 16-foot pulling dinghy and four 14-foot dinghies.

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Special Services For Good Friday

Special services will be held in most city churches Good Friday.

Rev. C. M. Hubbard will preach at a children's service in Christ Church Cathedral at 9:30 a.m., followed by matins, with Rev. R. E. H. Rowell preaching at 10:30.

Three hours' devotion, conducted by Rev. F. T. Kingston, MA, BD, DPhil, Anglican Theological College, Vancouver, will begin at noon.

Cathedral evensong will be at 5 p.m., and the choir will give a recital of church music accompanied by readings of the Passion narratives, entitled "The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ," at 8 p.m.

COMBINED SERVICE

Rev. A. I. Higgins will preach at a combined service for First United and Metropolitan United congregations in Metropolitan United Church at 11 a.m.

Baptist Young People of Victoria will conduct an 11 a.m. Good Friday service in First Baptist Church with Miss Bernice Ploss in charge. Guest preacher will be Rev. J. C. A. Barton, former pastor of Douglas Street Baptist. The First Baptist choir will present an hour of music from "The Messiah" at 8 p.m.

GAS PRICE STUDY

Labor Charges Intricate Skullduggery

Carpenters' international representative Victor Midgley Wednesday repeated earlier statements that oil companies operated "an intricate system of skullduggery" in sale prices of gas and oil.

He told the Victoria Labor Council "we are firmly of the opinion the public is being gouged."

The latest statement came after two weeks of study by a special committee.

He said crude oil was being piped through B.C. and then into Washington and Oregon for delivery at a lower cost than is being paid here.

Cliff Parker, business agent for operating engineers, informed the council that a seminar on political education and automation will be held in the Labor Temple here June 7-9.

TWO ANNUALLY

He said two such gatherings a year could be expected from now on. The seminar will be conducted by Tom Gooderham, Vancouver, regional director of the Canadian Labor Congress.

Mr. Parker asked action on non-attendance of many delegates to VLC.

The situation has been the same for five years, he said. With 10,000 members of affiliated unions, only about one-half of the delegates showed up at VLC meetings.

"Locals or delegates are falling down," he stated.

Thieves Prey Twice on Same Hotel Guest

Thieves appear to be making an example of Jim Cresser, Glen Court Hotel, 707 Blanshard.

He told police Wednesday someone entered his room the day before and took away a \$30 leather jacket, \$30 gold wrist watch, \$25 car coat and \$25 electric razor.

At that time, he explained, several other room keys in the hotel also fit the lock on his door.

This morning he called police again to report his wallet stolen.

Cresser said two men had visited his room Wednesday night and offered him a drink. After they left, he noticed his wallet was gone. It contained no money.

Cannon's Body Due In Montreal Sunday

OTTAWA (CP)—The body of Lucien Cannon, Canadian diplomat stabbed to death in Indochina 10 days ago, is due to arrive by air in Montreal Easter Sunday, an external affairs department spokesman said Wednesday. Cannon, 39, member of the international-truce supervisory teams in Indochina, was slain in Saigon. No arrests have been made so far.

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TORONTO (CP)—Four cars of the Salvation Army will unite for a Good Friday meditation in the Pandora Avenue citadel at 10:30 a.m. Speakers and their topics will be: Envoy V. Ramsdale, "Thirty Pieces of Silver"; Sr. Capt. Cyril Frayn, "A Crown of Thorns"; Brig. C. J. Milley, "A Cross of Wood"; and Brig. William O'Donnell, "The Spear." Massed bands and singer-songer brigades will take part in the service.

Congregations of Victoria West United and Douglas Street Baptist churches will join in a service at Centennial United Church Good Friday at 11 a.m.

Rev. Douglas B. Carr will conduct the service, assisted by Rev. C. G. MacKenzie and Rev. Cecil Barner.

Very Rev. J. Lewis W. McLean will preach on "The Death of Christ" at an 11 a.m. service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

One-hour service will open at St. John's Church at 11 a.m., with Canon George Biddle preaching on "Pilate Washes His Hands." Mrs. Iris Paver will sing Gounod's "There is a Green Hill Far Away."

CHOIR

Oak Bay United Church choir will present Stainer's "The Crucifixion" in the church at 8 p.m.

At service in Central Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Dr. J. B. Rowell will speak on "Christ—The Wonder of the Ages—The Miracle of Calvary."

Other churches holding Good Friday services are:

St. Barnabas' Anglican—Matins, 9 a.m. Children's service, 10 a.m. Three hours' devotions, 1 p.m. Evensong, 3 p.m. Rev. Thomas Biddle.

St. Matthew's Anglican—Langford—Young People's service, 11 a.m. Meditation, 2 p.m.

St. John's Anglican—Colwood—Young People's service, 10 a.m. Meditation, 12 noon. Rev. John P. Page.

Brentwood College Memorial Chapel—Langford—Matins, 8 p.m. Rev. George Harrison.

St. Mark's—Matins, 11 a.m. Canon R. Williams.

St. Saviour's—Children's service, 10 a.m. Service of the "Three Hours," noon and 3 p.m. The Douglas—Matins, 11 a.m. St. Paul's—One hour devotion, 11 a.m. Rev. J. A. Roberts.

Lakeview—Matins, 11 a.m. Canon F. Pike.

St. George's—The Three Hours," noon and 3 p.m. St. Paul's—Bible Study, 8 p.m. Rev. St. David's—Meditation, 8 p.m. Rev. R. McNeil.

St. Martin's—Anti-communion and sermon, 11:15 p.m. Very Rev. B. W. Whitlow.

All Saints'—Anti-communion, 10 a.m. Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Canon S. J. Williams.

St. Michael's—Matins, 11 a.m. Rev. J. Rogers.

St. Columba's—One hour meditation, 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. E. H. Lee.

St. Mary's—Matins, 11 a.m. Bay—Anti-communion, 9 a.m. Rev. Dr. E. H. Lee.

St. Andrew's—Devotions, noon. Rev. R. F. Palmer.

St. Paul's United—Sidney—Rev. William Buckingham, 11 a.m.

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Power Commission Crews to Get Going Pay Rate

Wage rates for major construction by the B.C. Power Commission will be those established by labor agreements in the areas concerned, the commission and the B.C. Building Trades Councils jointly announced.

The statement said the commission proposes to interpret the "fair wages" provision of the Power Act, under which it is constituted, as the rates established locally for construction workers.

VACANT TORONTO CLUB LATEST FIRE VICTIM

TORONTO (CP)—The fourth large fire in Toronto during the past 48 hours Wednesday night destroyed the west end club Top Hat.

The club which has not operated for some time is being torn down to make way for road construction. Parts of the club still standing were engulfed in flames before firemen could control them.

No estimate of loss was available.

The fire epidemic started Monday night in a tire warehouse in the Don Valley. It was followed the same night by a paper-factory fire 500 yards away. Tuesday morning fire burned a Grand and Toy building on a downtown street.

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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY candy counter, main

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Long-wearing, good-fitting oxfords, ideal for sports or camp wear. These popular shoes have strong duck' uppers, cushion insoles and spongy foam outsoles. Styled with plain toe, in blue, smart with blue jeans and popular corded sportswear. Sizes 1 to 5.

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Two styles to choose from with plain toes or elk' trim with moccasin vamp. Both styles feature suede leather uppers, foam soles and comfy cushion insoles. Versatile, long-wearing shoes available in the popular beige color. Sizes 6 to 12.

6⁹⁵

Comfortable English Crepe Sole Oxfords

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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, men's furnishings, main

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SYMPHONY CONDUCTOR ASSISTS SCHOOLS ORCHESTRA

Presence of Victoria Symphony conductor Hans Gruber made the first major public appearance of Greater Victoria Schools Orchestra Wednesday night, a stellar event for the students. Gruber conducted in excerpts from Tchaikovsky's Sixth

Symphony. Affair, which also featured Victoria, Oak Bay and Central Junior High School choirs, was held at Central Junior High. Gifted soloists were cellist Darlene Frewing and violinist Corinne Field. Mrs. Dorothy Evans is schools orchestra director.

MONTE ROBERTS

This is to issue fair warning:
If you see a new, vigorous, bright eyed, square-shouldered Roberts striding about the streets of Victoria starting May 1, do not be surprised.

The new Roberts will be helping the Chiropractors' Association of B.C.

The Chiropractors have chosen May 1 to May 7 as National Correct Posture Week.

And I have been privileged to get an advance peek at some of the instructions issued by the chiropractors for Correct Posture Week.

Most important instructions appear to be:

"STAND TALL, SIT TALL, SLEEP TALL."

That is, if you happen to be a tall man.

Being on the short side myself, I am having a little trouble at the moment, but expect to be able to stand tall as soon as my new elevator shoes are delivered.

Sitting tall is no trick at all if you have had any practice on those high stools at, er, all fountains.

As for sleeping tall, I am willing to try, but can't figure out how to stay awake so I can find out how tall I am asleep.

In addition to standing, sitting and sleeping tall, the chiropractors urge us to follow a few simple exercises daily, to preserve tone and strength of muscle supporting the spinal column.

I intend to follow this advice faithfully.

I would hate to have my spinal column sue my muscles for non-support.

Of course, the spinal column would first have to find the muscles.

So let us hurry on to the final admittance from the chiropractors:

"LEARN TO RELAX COMPLETELY."

On this I have already put in years of practice.

The only trouble is, when I relax completely, my spinal column resembles a stick of wet spaghetti.

Which is hard to reconcile with standing, sitting and sleeping tall.

But never fear. Come Correct Posture Week you will see the New Roberts.

From now on I am going to drink nothing but posterized milk.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

The United States Navy submarine USS Greenfish will arrive at Esquimalt Friday, leave Sunday, on a courtesy call.

The USS Gilligan, a destroyer-escort, will visit here from May 3 until May 6.

A new buoy will be installed shortly by the department of transport, to mark the boarding point for pilots of deep-sea ships entering and leaving Juan de Fuca Strait.

The buoy will be placed about two miles south from Brotchie Ledge, bearing 35 degrees.

The boarding station was changed two months ago from the Race Rocks area to the new point.

The buoy will be gas operated, with whistle and flashing white light.

Sou Jow was fined \$200 in city police court today when he pleaded guilty to bootlegging liquor at his place of business, Wing Wood Co., 515 Cormorant.

Court was told a plainclothesman purchased a bottle of whisky and a case of beer at the premises April 14 and a search disclosed a stock of beer and various liquors.

Eleventh annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Radiological Society will be held at the Empress Hotel May 11-12.

Condition of G. E. P. Jones, 212 Douglas, was termed "satisfactory" today by Royal Jubilee Hospital officials.

He suffered severe burns to both eyes when a defective water heater exploded Monday.

Mr. Jones is chairman of the province's purchasing commission.

Forty members of the Quarmillers' Modified Car Club will attend a blood donor clinic at Red Cross House Thursday, April 25, 7 to 9:30 p.m. Special clinic will be held at HMC Dockyards April 26, from 2 a.m. to noon, and 1 to 4:30 p.m. Goal of 300 pints has been set for the two-day clinic.



PROMOTION for former Victorian Flight Sergeant W. R. Ruffell, 38, to Warrant Officer Second Class, has been announced by the RCAF. WO2 Ruffell, son of Maj. and Mrs. W. H. Ruffell, 3137 Henderson Road, is an air maintenance supervisor serving with No. 443 (AUX) Squadron at RCAF Station Sea Island, B.C.

TO HONOR CITIZENS

Canadian Order Of Merit Asked by IODE

Canada, as a nation, should establish its own order of merit for bestowal on citizens whom the country desires to honor, it was decided at final session of the 44th annual meeting of Provincial Chapter, IODE, Wednesday afternoon in the Empress Hotel.

A resolution was passed to this effect, to be forwarded to National Chapter for presentation to the Canadian government.

The resolution suggested that designation of such an order of merit be made by non-partisan committees set up in each province to consider and recommend men and women who have performed outstanding public service, or have distinguished themselves in arts and professions.

THREE NAMES

It also stressed that the name of such a decoration be typically Canadian.

Three names were suggested: the "Order of the Maple Leaf"; the "Order of the Beaver" or the "Canadian Order of Merit." Such an order would supplement those already bestowed by the British government.

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Socred 'Ballyhoo' Rapped by Fairey

Social Credit may take a few seats from the CCF and Conservatives in the June election, but they won't take any from the Liberals, said Dr. F. T. Fairey, Liberal MP for Victoria, on his return from Ottawa today.

"They won't get anywhere in Ontario or Quebec," Dr. Fairey predicted. "Why, many people back there have never even heard of Social Credit. They don't know what it is all about."

Dr. Fairey referred to the Socred campaign meeting in Toronto tonight as "a big ballyhoo, American-type convention that won't cut any ice."

"It's just good entertainment—that's all. I watched Premier Bennett's arrival in Toronto over TV. What a show! But it won't get anywhere."

MORE SEATS

The 70-year-old member, a leading educationalist, is equally certain the Liberal government will increase its majority in the election.

"I don't think we have anything to worry about," he said.

Dr. Fairey had a good word for B.C. Conservative members Major-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC (Esquimalt-Saanich) and E. Davie Fulton (Kamloops).

"Men of that calibre are not easily displaced. They are pretty solid in Ottawa, which is more than can be said for the Social Credit members."

Dr. Fairey will be in Vancouver Monday and Tuesday attending a Liberal meeting to organize for the federal election.

"After that we shall get down to some solid campaigning," he said. "The highlight, of course, will be Prime Minister St. Laurent's visit to B.C. next month."

Dr. Fairey hopes Mr. St. Laurent will make a major statement on the government's foreign policy when he addresses a big Liberal rally in the Royal Theatre Saturday May 4.

Vancouver Pair Plead Guilty To More Charges

"Vancouver youths Donald Lloyd Davison, 18, and Stanley Lionel Deacon, 18, who pleaded guilty in city court Wednesday to four burglary charges, admitted to four more charges of breaking, entering and intent to steal when they appeared today.

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Strait Swim Season Opens Next Month

"Big Ben" Laughren, perennial strait swimmer, will take his 13th crack at Juan de Fuca's waters May 15.

The beefy Victoria cook will leave from Port Angeles at 10 a.m., heading for Victoria.

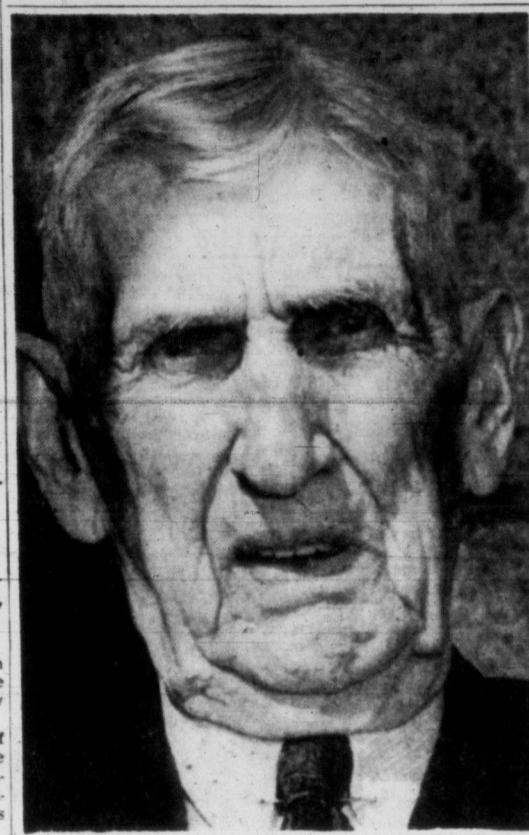
"I've got a good course and should make it," he said today.

Navigator will be Dave Millan. Frank Findlay's boat will be used and the swimmer will be accompanied in a rowboat by Jack Danes.

Ben has been cooking aboard a tugboat for the past few months, and has been taking daily dips when the tug was moored.

He'll start training in earnest next week, he said.

2 Seamen Freed In Knifing Case



Two of three British merchant seamen accused of stabbing unemployed welder Philip Walter Morgan, 33, early March 27, were acquitted in city police court today.

The third man, John Huartson, 18, Fleetwood, Lancs, who pleaded guilty to the charge last week, was remanded today to next Tuesday to permit completion of a probation report.

Found not guilty by Magistrate H. C. Hall were John Fouks, 23, Colwyn Bay, North Wales, and Brian Smith, 18, Liverpool.

All were seamen aboard the freighter Baron Inchcape, which docked here March 26 and sailed a few days later for Trinidad. Fouks and Smith likely will be returned to England.

The magistrate said he was satisfied the two were endeavoring to restrain Wayne Gilbert Quesnelle, 48½ Head, who had been out for a drive with Morgan's common-law wife, Shelby Galley, the night of the offence.

"You and each of you were endeavoring to restrain him (Morgan) from doing so. I am satisfied that is what you did do . . .

SATISFIED

"I am satisfied in my own mind you did not know Huartson had a knife . . . I find you not guilty."

Called Wednesday as a defense witness by lawyer Ken Murphy, Huartson said Smith and Fouks were helping Morgan to his feet after a scuffle with Quesnelle outside 1510 Belcher about 2 a.m.

He said he pulled out a hunting knife, purchased about four days earlier in Vancouver, and stabbed Morgan before he regained his feet.

Huartson said he put the knife away again quickly and was sure no one else had seen his action.

BEAT WOMAN

Huartson told the court Morgan first started to beat Mrs. Galley in the front of the car, where she and Quesnelle were sitting outside 1510 Belcher.

"We weren't going to sit by and watch the girl being beaten. We interfered to stop him hitting the girl."

Fouks, he said, grabbed Morgan and tried to pull him from the car. Quesnelle and Mrs. Galley both got out of the car and started to run away when the seamen told them they would prevent Morgan from assaulting the couple.

Morgan started to go after Quesnelle, Huartson said. "He started lashing about," after failing to his knees and the seamen went to help him up.

"That's when I pulled the knife. I lost my temper and went haywire."

Smith and Fouks both swore they did not know Huartson had a knife and that it was about 10 days later, while the three were in custody, that they learned he had stabbed Morgan.

On the stand today Fouks described the scuffle Morgan was attempting to have with Quesnelle, and the restraining action the three were taking.

SLIPPED AGAIN

"He (Morgan) slipped again, more or less down to his knees, and Smith and I let him go."

"He was still sort of lashing around . . . He got up and said 'I thought you were shipmates—buddies,' and then he got up and ran away."

The seamen and Morgan had met at a beer parlor that evening, drank in a club and then Morgan offered to take them to see "the lights." They went to 1510 Belcher where Mrs. Galley and Quesnelle were encountered in a parked car.

Morgan told Wednesday how he had run toward Jubilee Hospital, about two blocks away, when he realized he had been stabbed.

Fouks and Huartson followed him and Smith was taken away in the car by Quesnelle and Mrs. Galley.

Morgan made it as far as a telephone booth at Richmond and Fort, where he tried to call for help, but collapsed.

Fouks said he and Huartson found Morgan and tried to help him by calling police, but the telephone in the booth was not working. He quoted Morgan as saying, before he passed out, "Help me guys. I'm bleeding to death. I've been stabbed," and then he fell out of the booth.

Smith said regarding the scuffle, "He (Morgan) started lashing out. I got out of the road of his fists, then he took off down the road."

A passing motorist stopped on seeing the men bunting over Morgan and called police from a service station down Fort Street.

City-Sooke Marathon July 11 To Highlight Start of Fete

All-Sooke Day's 23-mile marathon run—from Victoria City Hall to Sooke River Bridge—will be held July 11.

Date for the event was set Wednesday night at the annual meeting of the Sooke Community Association.

The four new charges were for offences at Dick's Ladies Wear, 1322 Douglas; Larry Wagner's News Depot, 1320 Douglas; O. H. Dorman Ltd., 1328 Douglas, and Tip Top Tailors Ltd., 648 Yates.

The pair was remanded to April 25 for a probation report.

Exact starting time and prizes will be announced later.

Organizer of the marathon on behalf of the community association is E. Massick, 1018 Rockland, and those who want to enter should contact him. The telephone number is 2-8718.

It will highlight the first of the three-day All-Sooke celebrations.

The marathon will be open to all amateurs, regardless of age.

It is believed to be the longest organized run in this area.

Purchases of frozen foods, canned groceries, and staples will be disallowed.

Council also plans to take full advantage of the act where exemptions to the early closing are allowed for some products.

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A little something for those of you who haven't been able to find just the hat for your outfit . . . hat forms. If you are so inclined, you can try your hand at trimming your own chapeau for the Easter parade. Hat forms, small or large, are yours for 29, 59 and 98c.

Easter bunnies, live or not, always thrill the youngsters, and the fuzzy, soft, cuddly bunny that you buy for the youngsters in your house will bring a shine to young eyes. Yellow, mauve, pink . . . those are colors of the bunnies with long ears and button noses.

LOUISE DAVIS

On Etiquette

A Bride's Aversion to Showers: My stepdaughter has an aversion to "gimmy" parties for brides-to-be. She is to be married in six months, and many of her friends and relatives are already talking about showers. Although everyone knows

that the engagement is planned, the mother is planning a large reception to celebrate the engagement. The girl is alarmed that the invited guests will feel obliged to bring or send gifts. She has Louise Davis



come to me for advice, which puts me in a peculiar position, so I am asking you for suggestions. The questions amount to: How can gifts be avoided?

Louise Davis answers:

It would help if the party were put in a different category than that of an engagement reception. The girl should plead with her mother who should consider her wishes. It is up to her to take a firm stand right now before it is too late. An "at home" would lessen the sting of an engagement announcement reception. People wouldn't be so gift-minded.

Another plan is that the mother issues invitations to an at home "to meet the fiance" Mr. William Baker, assuming that Mr. Baker hasn't met all of the bride's friends and relatives. Your stepdaughter should begin campaigning for the future by telling friends and relatives of the two families that she sincerely wishes that they would help her pass the word around that she prefers no showers whatsoever at any time. That doesn't mean that if anyone wants to entertain, "Please see that it isn't a shower." Your stepdaughter is to be admired, so I say "Hooray for her!"

Plans were made for a tea in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company, with Mrs. E. K. Waterman, Mrs. W. Barker and Mrs. W. R. Gunn appointed conveners. Mrs. J. L. Kennaugh and Miss Margery Vaughan are in charge of the program.

During the social hour, Mrs. W. R. Gunn and Mrs. J. L. Kennaugh presided at the supper table. Miss Elsie Friend, Miss Helen Gibson and Miss Florence Miller assisted in serving.



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The buyer was Mrs. Clint Murchison, whose oilman husband is ranked among the nation's wealthiest men. She bought the egg at an auction for the benefit of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults (Easter seal) held at a Dallas department store.

One saving thing about Mrs. Murchison's expensive egg—it was decorated by Walt Disney. The store sent the eggs to celebrities for decoration. George Apple, noted southwest cattle auctioneer from McKinney, Tex., auctioned the eggs.

CLUB CALENDAR

Women's Auxiliary, Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, ways and means committee, Easter egg hunt and coffee party, Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Langford Legion Hall, Dunford Avenue. Mrs. T. McKay and Mrs. L. Bayley, conveners.

At a special price for Easter they are \$1.49.

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In the Peter Pan Ballroom in Vancouver Tuesday at 8 p.m. the Young Liberal Association of British Columbia will hold their third annual "Easter Reception Ball."

Among prominent Liberals lending their patronage are: Senator J. W. deB. Farris and Mrs. Farris, Senator Tom Reid and Mrs. Reid, Senator S. S. McKeen and Mrs. McKeen, Senator Nancy Hodges, Senator Sydney Smith and Mrs. Smith, Hon. James Sinclair, Minister of Fisheries, and Mrs. Sinclair; Hon. Ralph Campney, Minister of National Defence, and Mrs. Campney; Mr. Elmore Philpott, MP, and Mrs. Philpott, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laing.

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CLUBWOMEN'S NEWS

Maytime Luncheon — Plans were made at the meeting of Victoria Lions Auxiliary for a Maytime luncheon party in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company store on May 9 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Mrs. W. C. Rae was named convener and Mrs. E. H. Emery co-convener. Assisting with arrangements are Mrs. P. W. Gillson; Mrs. F. W. Grossmith, Mrs. E. B. Hackett and Mrs. D. Ewing. Mrs. A. R. Cann presided and Mrs. O. G. Elliott, formerly of Lethbridge, Alta., was welcomed as a new member.

New Officers—At the annual meeting of the Lake Hill Sub-division, Catholic Women's League, the following members were elected to office: Mrs. M. Connor, president; Mrs. G. Van der Haegen, first vice-president; Mrs. A. Rochon, second vice-president; Mrs. R. E. Turner,

secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. G. Rolfe and Mrs. J. D. Magee, councillors. Standing committees were appointed and plans made for parish reception, membership tea, summer fete, rummage sale and parish bazaar.

Donation of \$90—Highlighting the recent meeting, Xi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, at the home of Mrs. Wilma Bonnell, 2975 Sea View Road, was the presentation of a cheque to Mrs. Laura Black.

The queen will ride on a float in the May Day parade.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Coffee Party on Malahat

Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Harrison will entertain friends at a coffee party Easter Sunday at their home on Malahat Drive. There will be an Easter egg hunt for the children.

Weekend Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Denham Meek of Edmonton, Alta., are visiting in Victoria for the Easter weekend, guests at the home of Mrs. Meek's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Rogers Road. Mrs. Hutchison entertained this morning at a coffee party for her daughter.

In California

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Baker left this morning to spend a two-week vacation in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Vancouver Visitor

Mrs. J. Fadool is a visitor in the city from Vancouver and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ash at their home on Cumberland Road.

Vacation Trip

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. G. Mann have returned to their home on Burdick Avenue after a California vacation at La Jolla and Carmel.

Honored at Dinner

Mrs. George Masters has returned from Vancouver where she was honored earlier this week at the annual dinner of the Seaforth Highlanders Woman's Auxiliary, held in the Vancouver Armory. Mrs. Masters is a charter member of the group. Also honored at the dinner was Mrs. E. W. Hamber.

Basket of Gifts

Miss Lorraine Bosse and Miss Sharon Glendinning were co-hostesses recently at the St. James Street home of the former when guest of honor was Miss Doreen Smith, whose marriage to Mr. Bernie Mason will take place April 27. Upon arrival, the bride-elect received a corsage of gardenias, while her mother, Mrs. L. W. Smith, received white carnations. Gifts were in a gaily-decorated basket. Invited were Mrs. L. W. Smith, Mrs. R. K. Smith, Mrs. P. Glendinning, Mrs. G. Anderson, Mrs. S. Zwinger, Mrs. M. Naismith, Mrs. E. Grant, Mrs. D. Charlton, Mrs. J. Sargent, Mrs. V. Brown, Mrs. E. Morton, Misses Donna Smith, Sharon Carlow, Alice Carlow, Peggy Young, Marie Suffern, Marlea Scott and Vickie Saf-

>Returns to Vancouver
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ferrier and children, Susan and Teresa, have returned to their home in Vancouver after spending the winter at the home of Mrs. Sheila McIvor, 519 St. Patrick Street. Mrs. McIvor, who spent the winter at Guest House Hotel, Newport Avenue, has returned to her home.

Large Post-Nuptial Shower In Sooke Community Hall

Mrs. Edward Ryan, formerly Miss Dorothy Hamilton, was guest of honor at a post-nuptial shower in Sooke Community Hall, Monday evening. An electric steam iron was a gift from hostesses: Mrs. D. Morrison, Mrs. R. Blouin, Mrs. P. W. Clowes, Mrs. W. Eddy, Mrs. L. Kidd, Mrs. J. Van Ek, Mrs. J. Lindley, Mrs. H. Wadams, Mrs. K. Hill, Mrs. R. Knight, Mrs. E. Michelsen, Mrs. A. Brooks and Misses Sheila Morrison and Eloise Nixon.

Spring flowers decorated the hall into which Mrs. Ryan was escorted by her sister, Mrs. P. Logan. Mrs. H. Wadams presented the bride with a corsage of pink carnations. Her grandmother, Mrs. A. Goddard, and her mother, Mrs. G. R. Hamilton, received corsages of cream narcissi from Mrs. D. Morrison and Mrs. R. Knight, respectively. Gifts were arranged in a large basket flanked by two Easter bunnies. Mrs. Goddard and Mrs. Ryan assisted the bride in unwrapping gifts. A buffet supper was served and a vocal solo, "Garden of Happiness," was sung by Mrs. H. Wadams, accompanied by Mrs. J. Westad.

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Rock Garden Plants Ready For Showing

Mrs. Sybil McCulloch is proud of her Prospect Lake property. A lively stream bubbles through and rustic, moss-covered trees frame a view of the lake.

But the focal point is Mrs. McCulloch's garden of rock flowers. A rise of rock to her house is a perfect foundation for a handsome display of plants.

As secretary of Vancouver Island Rock and Alpine Garden Society, Mrs. McCulloch is busy preparing for the society's annual show, and the garden plants from her own garden will be among the entries.

Plants she will display in the small cold frame. Among them are primula rosea, parsley fern from Mount Prevost, erythroniums (lilies) and rock narcissus.

But more than care of her own plants concerns Mrs. McCulloch. Arrangements for the show of April 26 and 27 are for her and other committee members are striving to make it the best show yet.

Mrs. A. Berry of Portland and E. Gregg of Royston will be judging the show, which takes place in the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden.

Nine years' membership in the Rock and Alpine Garden Society has taught Mrs. McCulloch much about caring for the small garden plants.

"I knew nothing about it until I joined the society," says Mrs. McCulloch, "who does all her own gardening."

For the past three years she has been secretary of the society, which has over 100 members.



Mrs. Sybil McCulloch surveys her garden of rock plants which she hopes will bring success in the Rock and Alpine Garden Society Show.

New Conveners and Councillors Elected at Final IODE Session

At the final session of Provincial Chapter IODE annual meeting in the Empress Hotel Wednesday afternoon election of councillors and conveners was held. Released last evening were names of conveners: Publicity: Mrs. J. R. Smith; Vancouver; immigration and Canadianization: Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps; hospitality: Mrs. R. J. Mrs. J. W. Asher, Mrs. K. H. Sprott, Vancouver; films: Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. Charles Barrett, C. W. Smith, Vancouver;

empire and world affairs: Mrs. C. McMurtie, Lake Cowichan; Coulter, Mrs. F. E. Dowdall; Mrs. DuVernet, Mrs. Peter Jessie R. Burke Memorial, Mrs. Frank Stead; civil defence: Mrs. R. G. Tressider, Burnaby; commonwealth relations: Mrs. H. Woolison, Victoria; empire correspondence: Mrs. A. Staples, Creston; Councillors are: From Vancouver: Mrs. Noel Abbott, Mrs. T. Lumunden, Mrs. J. L. Gates, Mrs. T. Parrott, Miss Christine MacNab, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, Mrs. A. W. Pittkethley, Mrs. H. L. Woolison; Burnaby: Mrs. Gerald Charlton, Mrs. E. H. Pellett; Chilliwack: Mrs. C. Dodimead; Creston: Mrs. A. Staples; Ganges: Mrs. V. C. Best; Ladner, Mrs. E. R. Bell; Lake Cowichan: Mrs. C. McMurtie; Nanaimo: Mrs. J. B. Curran and Mrs. A. B. Hall; West Vancouver: Mrs. A. Coles; Vernon, Mrs. D. McG. Black; Castlegar, Mrs. L. Horie; Kelowna, Mrs. C. A. Pettman; Port Alberni, Mrs. P. J. St. Claire and Trail: Mrs. T. Weir.

In a special ceremony they were presented with certificates and pins to mark 25 years in credit work and it was announced that they now belong to the Career Club of North America, whose members all have marked a quarter-century in the work.

Mrs. Esther Harwood presided and each member of the club had her "boss" as a guest. Special guests included the members of the Credit Granters' Association. Mrs. Banfield gave the invocation; Miss Audrey Harness the toast to the bosses and Ed McClure, president of the Credit Granters' Association, the reply.

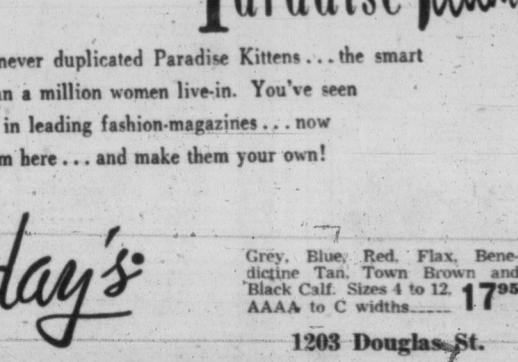
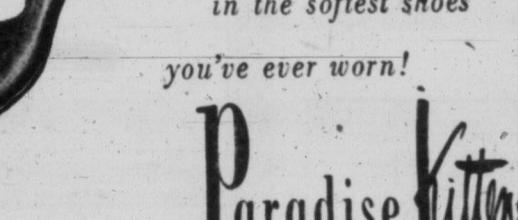
Guest talk, Miss Hilda Hesson gave an interesting and educational talk on the forgotten isle of Tristan da Cunha in the South Atlantic Ocean, its people, customs and its isolation from the rest of the world. She was introduced by Mrs. Marie Ash and thanked by Miss Vida Owenden.

Favors included small containers of salt, a booklet on the history of salt and a souvenir table napkin printed with the words "our bosses are the salt of the earth."

Clubwomen's News

Spring Tea—Women's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral completed plans for a spring tea at a recent meeting. Tea will be held in early May and a home cooking stall will be featured. Plans are also being made for a garden party in mid-July at the home of Dean and Mrs. Brian Whitlow.

Mrs. C. H. Radford, Mrs. R. Gibson, Mrs. H. Musfelt, Mrs. A. Llewellyn, Mrs. E. Hooper, Mrs. J. Cains, Mrs. G. Jones, Mrs. C. Andersen, Mrs. E. Eve, Mrs. W. McClinton, Mrs. G. H. Jones, Mrs. James Martin, Mrs. L. Kidd and Misses G. Eddy, I. Baskerville, I. Brown, G. Lajeunesse, R. Elose, J. Lewis, P. Pedneault, B. Lewis, M. Pontius, B. Sinclair, L. Helme, D. Duncan, B. Duncan, P. Kendrew, B. Clowes, R. Adcock and E. Martin.



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Harvard's Place in the Story Of Astronomy Goes Back to 1843

Harvard's role in the field of astronomy was ably explained by Dr. Anne Underhill at a meeting of the University Women's Club of Victoria on Wednesday evening.

The speaker, who spent a year lecturing at Harvard, pointed out that when Harvard Observatory was built in 1843, it possessed the largest telescope in the world, a 15-inch refractor. It was at Harvard that the first daguerreotypes of the moon were taken.

At present Harvard is concentrating on two special aspects of study, solar astronomy, of vital military importance today, and radio astronomy.

Dr. Underhill showed slides of the enormous radio telescope erected in 1956—a giant "dish" of aluminium mesh and pipe measuring 60 feet across and the largest in North America. She told of the "enormous concentration of young people" eagerness furthering their knowledge in many fields" at this university and described one of the most outstanding displays there as the Harvard Museum, where may be seen "amazing replicas in blown glass of all the flowers and shrubs of this continent," and displays of quartz and crystal.

Tracing briefly the history of Harvard from its foundation in 1637, Dr. Underhill noted that women were first admitted to Radcliffe College in 1789 but that undergraduate lectures were taken separately up until

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BRUTON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bruton, 1239 Palmer Road, at 10:30 a.m. on April 17, 1957, a girl 7 lbs. 7 ozs. and 16 in. Karen Llewellyn.

DANBY—On April 16, 1957, to Betty and Brian Danby, a daughter, Nicola.

HIGGINS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Higgins, 222 Cadogan Street, Nanaimo, B.C., on April 14, 1957, a girl, Sandra, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, Jerry William.

HOLTHAM—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh and Jean Holtham, 1120 Cadogan Road, Victoria, B.C., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 15, 1957, a girl, Valerie Jean 8 lbs.

LOHR—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin and Jeanne Lohr, 1187 14th Street, Victoria, B.C., on April 15, 1957, a girl, Linda, 7 lbs. 7 ozs. and 16 in. Courtesy parking west of chapel garden.

MCDONALD—Born to Mr. and Mrs. John and Margaret McDonald, 255 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 16, 1957, a girl, Gordon Cameron, 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

WATTS—Born to Bert and Betty Watts, 2811 Nanaimo Street, Victoria, B.C., a son, Calvin Jay, 8 lbs. 12 ozes. and 16 in. at Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 16, 1957, a brother for Maril and Barry.

WEBSTER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Webster, 1012 Esquimalt Road, Victoria, B.C., on April 17, 1957, a son, a brother for Linda, 4 lbs. 4 ozs. and 14 in. A brother for Linda and Dennis.

DEATHS

DAWSON—In St. Joseph's Hospital, April 17, 1957, John Dawson, aged 76 years, a native of Scotland, born in Alva, Scotland, and a resident of Victoria for 44 years. He leaves his wife, Anna, at home; one daughter, Mrs. Noma Poirier in Victoria; three sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Dawson, Scotland, Mrs. McQuillan, the Misses Christine, Jean and Elizabeth. Mr. Dawson, a member of Uplands Golf Club and present vice-president also a member of the Royal Masonic Lodge in Scotland.

FUNERAL—Services will be held at McCallum Funeral Chapel, 1406 Pandora Street, Victoria, on Saturday afternoon at 1:45 p.m. Cremation.

GILLESPIE—On April 16, 1957, in Victoria, Anna Marie Gillespie, of 100 Gorge Road, a former resident of Callander, according to Calvary on the first floor of the former Hotel Gorge, Victoria, in 1886; died April 15, 1957, a resident of Victoria since 1919. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. James of Victoria, one son, James of Victoria, one grandchild, also great-grandchildren, also great-grandchildren.

FUNERAL—Services will be held at McCallum Funeral Chapel, 1406 Pandora Street, Victoria, on Saturday afternoon at 1:45 p.m. Cremation.

HAYWARD'S—In Victoria, April 17, 1957, of the late Percy Hirst, aged 86 years, of 1957 Ash Street, Victoria, for 66 years. She leaves her sister, Mrs. Beatrix Green of Victoria; one son, Mr. and Mrs. Colwood, and one nephew, Victor Smith of Victoria; one sister and several nieces, nephews in England.

Funeral—Services will be held at McCallum Funeral Chapel, 1406 Pandora Street, Victoria, on Saturday afternoon at 1:45 p.m. Cremation.

KENNEDY—In Victoria, April 17, 1957, David L. Kennedy, formerly of 2586 Graham Street, formerly of Victoria, died April 16, 1957, a resident of Victoria for the past 13 years. He leaves his wife, Annie Louise, at home. His wife, Annie Louise, and his wife, Annie Louise, at home.

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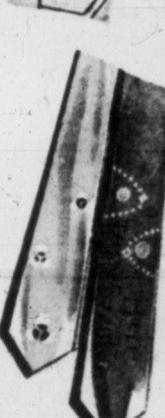
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OTTAWA (CP) — Award of the Queen's commendation for brave conduct to Flt. Sgt. Walter Hetman of the RCAF station at Vancouver is announced in the Canada Gazette.

PR. GEORGE CITIZENS ENRAGED**Young Hoodlums Terrorize City****... GULLS**

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have any bearing on, Beacon Hill gulls."

A seagull questioned at the city garbage wharf expressed scant interest in the plan.

"As I understand it, the city council will be asked to provide music on the garbage scows," he said.

"The music suggested is the seagull warning cry, which is, to a seagull, a most interesting chromatic exercise."

"However, I cannot see the need for this expense, as seagulls are quite capable of producing their own warning cries."

But, not being a taxpayer, the matter doesn't concern me one way or the other," he added.

The only note of indignation was sounded by a rather ancient seagull, a resident of these parts for many years, and the dean of the HMC Dockyard colony.

"There is base ingratitude here," he said. "Gull and fledgling, for nigh unto I don't know how many years I have been doing my part to keep the harbors clean. So have all the other gulls of my acquaintance. Now they are proposing to try to keep us off the garbage scows."

Even this ancient, and rather indignant, gull, refused to be worried. "It won't work," he said. "Seagulls are used to weird noises, being great hand at creating weird noises themselves."

One of the gulls interviewed said only: "Eh? What's that you say?"

He is a herring gull who is hard of hearing.

The three gulls actively worried about the project all had the same reason.

"When the city fathers find the seagull warning won't work," they said, "they may decide to play Elvis Presley recordings instead."

Quivering from beak to tail feather, they flew away.

Opera Singer Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Stefan Kozakevich, 51, Russian-born concert and opera singer, died Wednesday at his home. For 10 seasons he was the leading baritone of the San Carlo Opera Co.

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'Painless' Merger Sketched by Ash**No Municipality Would Assume Debt of Another, States Reeve**

A "painless" plan for consolidation of Greater Victoria—with no municipality assuming the debt or development of another—was charted by Saanich Reeve Arthur Ash Wednesday night.

He told a joint meeting of Greater Victoria Lions Clubs, outlying municipalities fear they would be called upon to assume the debt of Victoria, in event of amalgamation.

Those municipalities with sewers, drains and highways completed resist the idea of providing these services to other on a joint basis.

Financed by Common Bond Issues

Where services were lacking in an area, they could be financed by common bond issues with the debt falling upon the area receiving the benefits.

"Many of these services would be undertaken by local improvement by-laws. This would enable us to borrow at a low interest rate as a large united municipality."

Reeve Ash recalled the statement of Municipal Affairs Minister Wesley Black recently: "The only sensible solution to the Greater Victoria problem is complete amalgamation."

The Reeve felt if Victoria district amalgamated it should have its own private charter combining the best features of the new Municipal Act and the Vancouver City Charter.

Consolidation could be started by establishing a special intermunicipal committee in co-operation with the department of municipal affairs.

The argument that taxes would be increased by amalgamation was disproved when Ottawa annexed surrounding areas. Except for the demand for local improvements, taxes would have been lower, the Reeve said. (He is a former Ottawa alderman.)

OLD SETTLEMENT
Howe Island, one of the Thousand Islands in the upper St. Lawrence, was first settled in 1792, the city's high school.

CARRY KNIVES

Other members of the gang, all of whom have left school, have begun terrorizing school teachers.

"I can stand it no longer," said Lorne Downey, principal of the city's high school.

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Youth Induced Boys to Steal Goods for Him

A Victoria youth who induced a pair of juveniles to steal for him was sentenced to one day imprisonment and one year's rigid probation when he faced two charges of breaking, entering and theft in Colwood RCMP court Wednesday.

Victor Rowe, 18, 478 Gorge East, pleaded guilty to the charges laid after break-ins March 2 and 23 at Bligh's Corner General Store, Metchosin.

Court was told Rowe acted as lookout while the two juveniles entered the store the first time to take small items of merchandise.

SUSPENDED

The second time Rowe again acted as lookout while one of the juveniles entered the premises.

Rowe was given a suspended sentence on the first charge and Magistrate A. I. Thomas imposed a stiff probation requirement.

On the second charge, being a second offence, the one day imprisonment was set.

Sentence was imposed after receipt of a probation report on Rowe.

Reeve Ash pointed out that current municipal budgets in the whole Greater Victoria area are rising steadily while each municipality continues as a separate entity.

"Increased taxation has taken

place each year for the past 10 years . . . and may I say, the end is not in sight."

Saanich, he felt was a prime example of mounting civic costs. Taxes are bound to jump at least two mills due to an increase ordered in the gross assessments.

"Frankly, we in Saanich have been living in a fool's paradise, and now our past is catching up with us."

The Reeve added, the municipal board which brought about formation of a metropolitan area in Toronto expressed the opinion that complete amalgamation of that area would have been the wisest step.

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'Birdcage' Probe Report Awaits Bonner

Contents of the fire marshal's report into the recent blaze which destroyed the old legislative building ("the Birdcage") will not be made public until Attorney-General Robert Bonner returns from eastern Canada.

Mr. Bonner is now in Toronto attending a Social Credit meeting.

A spokesman for his department confirmed that the fire marshal's report on the fire had been received.

More than 400,000 trees stand on the boulevards and in the parks of Paris.

WENNER-GREN AREA SHUTDOWN 'NEWS TO ME' SAYS WILLISTON

Lands and Forests Minister Ray Williston said today he had heard nothing of a report that 70 men have been thrown out of work at Hudson Hope because a sawmill site had been declared part of Wenner-Gren area.

"It is news to me," said Mr. Williston when told of a story published in the Toronto Star. "So many sawmills are closing now for no other reason than lack of business. I have not heard of any mill closing at Hudson Hope."

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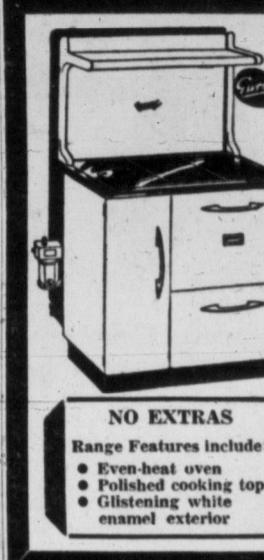
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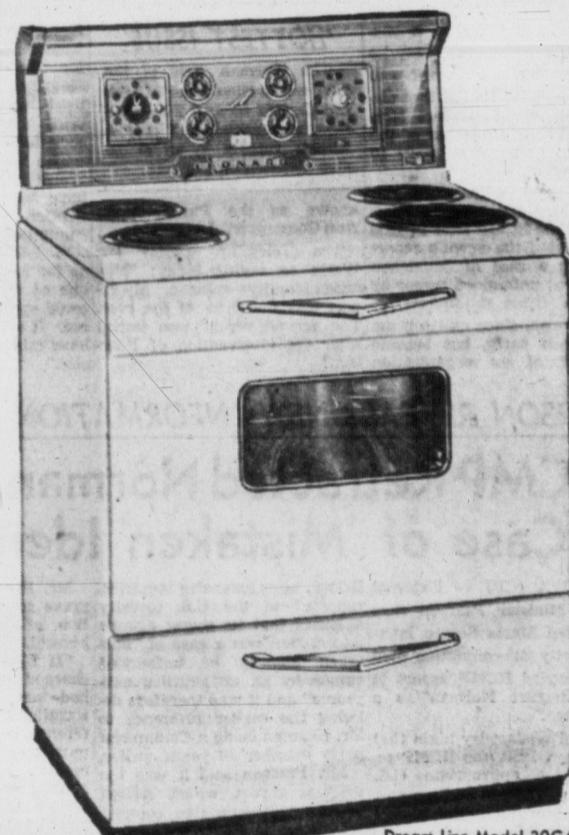
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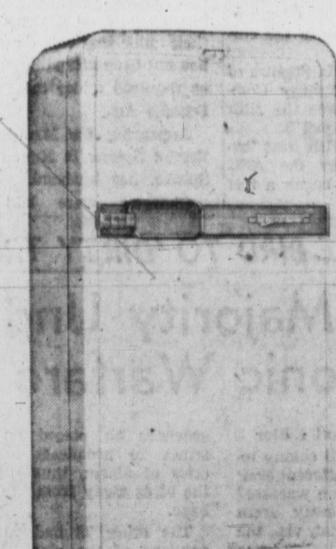


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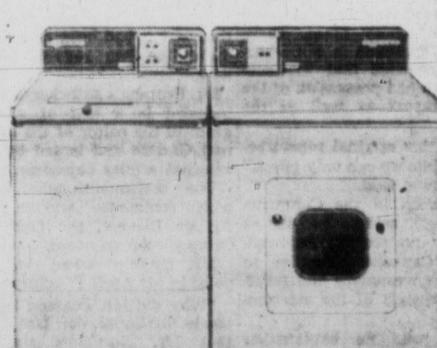


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SYMPHONY CONDUCTOR ASSISTS SCHOOLS ORCHESTRA

Presence of Victoria Symphony conductor Hans Gruber made the first major public appearance of Greater Victoria Schools Orchestra Wednesday night, a stellar event for the students. Gruber conducted the orchestra in excerpts from Tschaikowsky's Sixth

Symphony. Affair, which also featured Victoria, Oak Bay and Central Junior High School choirs, was held at Central Junior High. Gifted soloists were cellist Durhaine Frewing and violinist Corinne Field. Mrs. Dorothy Evans is schools orchestra director.

MONTE ROBERTS

This is to issue fair warning:
If you see a new, vigorous, bright eyed, square-shouldered Roberts striding about the streets of Victoria starting May 1, do not be surprised.

The new Roberts will be helping the Chiropractors' Association of B.C.

The Chiropractors have chosen May 1 to May 7 as National Correct Posture Week.

And I have been privileged to get an advance peek at some of the instructions issued by the chiropractors for Correct Posture Week.

Most important instructions appear to be:

"STAND TALL, SIT TALL, SLEEP TALL."

That is, if you happen to be a tall man.

Being on the short side myself, I am having a little trouble at the moment, but expect to be able to stand tall as soon as my new elevator shoes are delivered.

Sitting tall is no trick at all if you have had any practice on those high stools at er, soda fountains.

As for sleeping tall, I am willing to try, but can't figure out how to stay awake so I can find out how tall I am asleep.

In addition to standing, sitting and sleeping tall, the chiropractors urge us to follow a few simple exercises daily, to preserve tone and strength of muscle supporting the spinal column.

I intend to follow this advice faithfully.

I would hate to have my spinal column sue my muscles for non-support.

Of course, the spinal column would first have to find the muscles.

So let us hurry on to the final admonition from the chiropractors:

"LEARN TO RELAX COMPLETELY."

On this I have already put in years of practice.

The only trouble is, when I relax completely, my spinal column resembles a stick of wet spaghetti.

Which is hard to reconcile with standing, sitting and sleeping tall.

But never fear. Come Correct Posture Week you will see the New Roberts.

From now on I am going to drink nothing but posterior milk.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

The United States Navy submarine USS Greenfish will arrive at Esquimalt Friday, leave Sunday, on courtesy call.

The USS Gilligan, a destroyer escort, will visit here from May 3 until May 6.

A new buoy will be installed shortly by the department of transport, to mark the boarding point for pilots of deep-sea ships entering and leaving Juan de Fuca Strait.

The buoy will be placed about two miles south from Brotchie Ledge, bearing 35 degrees.

The boarding station was changed two months ago from the Race Rocks area to the new point.

The buoy will be gas operated, with a whistle and flashing white light.

Sou Jow was fined \$200 in city police court today when he pleaded guilty to bootlegging liquor at his place of business, Wing Wood Co., 515 Cormorant.

Court was told a plainclothesman purchased a bottle of whisky and a case of beer at the premises April 14 and a search disclosed a stock of beer and various liquors.

Eleventh annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Radiological Society will be held at the Empress Hotel May 11-12.

Condition of G. E. P. Jones, 212 Douglas, was termed "satisfactory" today by Royal Jubilee Hospital officials.

He suffered severe burns to both eyes when a defective water heater exploded Monday.

Mr. Jones is chairman of the province's purchasing commission.

Forty members of the Quarter-milers' Modified Car Club will attend a blood donor clinic at Red Cross House Thursday, April 25. Clinic hours are 1:30 to 4:30 and 7 to 9:30 p.m. Special clinic will be held at HMC Dockyard April 26, from 9 a.m. to noon, and 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Goal of 300 pints has been set for the two-day clinic.



TO HONOR CITIZENS

Canadian Order Of Merit Asked by IODE

Canada, as a nation, should establish its own order of merit for bestowal on citizens whom the country desires to honor, it was decided at final session of the 44th annual meeting of Provincial Chapter, IODE, Wednesday afternoon in the Empress Hotel.

A resolution was passed to this effect, to be forwarded to National Chapter for presentation to the Canadian government.

The resolution suggested that designation of such an order of merit be made by non-partisan committee set up in each province to consider and recommend men and women who have performed outstanding public service or have distinguished themselves in arts and professions.

St. Mary's Oak Bay Men's Guild will meet in the Parish Hall, Yale Street, on Thursday, April 25, at 8 p.m. when the speaker will be Ald. Geoffrey Edgeland who will tell about "Development of the George Waterway."

Victoria Public Library will be closed all day on Good Friday and Easter Monday, it was announced today.

More than 1,000 persons are expected to watch the 14th annual Good Friday horse show which starts at 2 p.m. on the grounds of the Victoria Riding Academy, Cedar Hill Crossroad.

Approximately 60 entries have been received for events which will include novelty riding, hunter and jumper showings and western riding.

The exhibition of horseman-ship will take two hours.

Three civic dinners and a gift of blazers to Victoria College basketball team, were approved by Victoria council finance committee today.

Council will be asked to provide banquets for approaching conventions by War Amputees Association of Canada, Naval Officers' Association and International Northwestern Parks Association. Cost will be about \$700.

The committee favored buying blazers for the basketball team, Vikings, to honor the 11 members who recently won an award in national competition finals.

Sacred 'Ballyhoo' Rapped by Fairey

Social Credit may take a few seats from the CCF and Conservatives in the June election, but they won't take any from the Liberals, said Dr. F. T. Fairey, Liberal MP for Victoria, on his return from Ottawa today.

"They won't get anywhere in Ontario or Quebec," Dr. Fairey predicted. "Why, many people back there have never even heard of Social Credit. They don't know what it is all about."

Dr. Fairey referred to the Social Credit campaign meeting in Toronto tonight as "a big ballyhoo, American-type convention that won't cut any ice."

"It's just good entertainment—that's all I watched Premier Bennett's arrival in Toronto last week. What a show! But it won't get anywhere."

MORE SEATS

The 70-year-old member, a leading educationalist, is equally certain the Liberal government will increase its majority in the election.

"I don't think we have anything to worry about," he said.

Dr. Fairey had a good word for B.C. Conservative delegates Major-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, VC (Esquimalt-Saanich) and E. Davis Fulton (Kamloops).

"Men of that calibre are not easily displaced. They are pretty solid in Ottawa, which is more than can be said for the Social Credit members."

Dr. Fairey will be in Vancouver Monday and Tuesday attending a Liberal meeting to organize for the federal election.

"After that we shall get down to some solid campaigning," he said. "The highlight, of course, will be Prime Minister St. Laurent's visit to B.C. next month."

Dr. Fairey hopes Mr. St. Laurent will make a major statement on the government's foreign policy when he addresses a big Liberal rally in the Royal Theatre Saturday May 4.

THREE NAMES

It also stressed that the name of such a decoration be Canadian.

Three names were suggested: the "Order of the Maple Leaf"; the "Order of the Beaver" or the "Canadian Order of Merit." Such an order would supplement those already bestowed by the British government.

Arising out of the convention, Mr. Webb said, was a decision to hold this fall a meeting of the staffs of the Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle Chambers of Commerce. The meeting will be held sometime in October.

"The three cities have common interests and problems," he said. "These will be discussed at the meeting."

Mr. Webb said both Canadian and U.S. delegates showed a growing concern for the maintenance of the forest production of the Pacific Northwest.

"Conservation measures to preserve our forests were stressed at the meeting," he said.

Four shops in the block bounded by Douglas, Broad, Yates and Johnson were entered overnight Tuesday, investigation showed.

The four new charges were for offences committed Sunday, when four other shops in the same block were reported entered, or attempts to enter had been made, but nothing stolen.

The new charges were for offences at Dick's Ladies' Wear, 1322 Douglas; Larry Wagner's News Depot, 1320 Douglas; O. H. Dorman Ltd., 1328 Douglas, and Tip Top Tailors Ltd., 648 Yates.

The pair was remanded to April 25 for a probation report.

It is believed to be the longest organized run in this area.

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HEY AREN'T WE SHORT ONE MAN? WHERE'S PIG-PEN?
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Strait Swim Season Opens Next Month

"Big Ben" Laughren, perennial strait swimmer, will take his 13th crack at Juan de Fuca's waters May 15.

The beefy Victoria cook will leave from Port Angeles at 10 a.m., heading for Victoria.

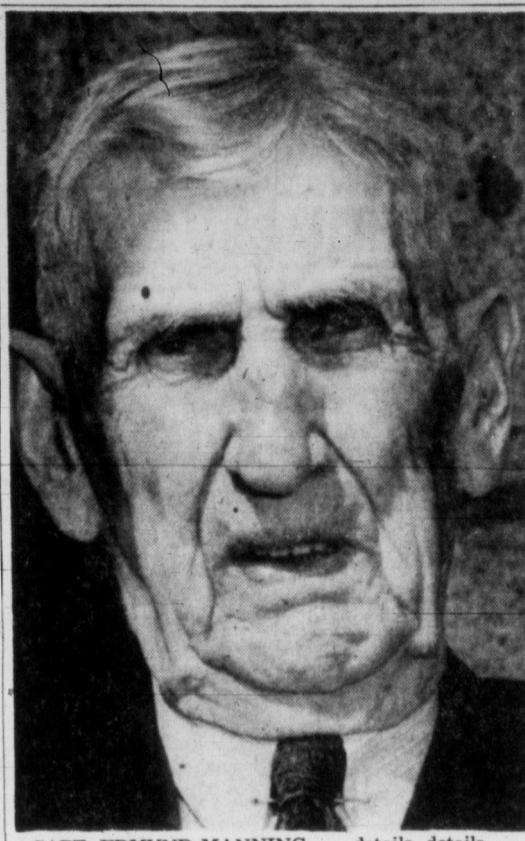
"I've got a good course and should make it," he said today.

Navigator will be Dave McMillan. Frank Findlay's boat will be used and the swimmer will be accompanied in a rowboat by Jack Danes.

Ben has been cooking aboard a tugboat for the past few months, and has been taking daily dips when the tug was moored.

He'll start training in earnest next week, he said.

2 Seamen Freed In Knifing Case



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22 TIMES AROUND THE HORN

Old Salt to Sail Air Waves to N.S.

By TONY DICKASON

The Lewis did not sink and Captain Manning later salvaged her. For this he received special commendation from the admiralty.

His last active decade afloat was in command of C.N.R. vessels "from the smallest to the biggest." His last command was the Spinner, 10,000 tons, large for those days.

He is one of the few remaining salts from the romantic and rugged days of sailing ships.

White hair bobbing in reminiscence, and only occasionally prompted by his daughter, with whom he is staying here—Mrs. R. S. Evans, 3960 Cedar Hill Road—he recalled his half-century afloat which included nearly 35 years in Victoria.

"But on one trip we were 32 days off the Horn, trying to buck the wind."

It will take Captain Manning just 15 hours flying time to reach home in this age of the Super Constellation.

Retired the captain with asperity, "details, details . . ."

Born in Bridgewater, N.S., he shipped out at the age of 16 on the Belvedere, Belfast-bound. At the age of 25 he got his master's ticket after serving in a half-dozen sailing vessels.

His first command was the Goudie, 1,000 tons, of the Pacific Northwest Trade Association at its annual meeting held at Portland, Ore., this week.

Arnold Webb, secretary manager of the Chamber of Commerce, who returned today from the meeting, said the PNTA convention was well attended by Victoria delegates.

Arising out of the convention, Mr. Webb said, was a decision to hold this fall a meeting of the staffs of the Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle Chambers of Commerce. The meeting will be held sometime in October.

"The three cities have common interests and problems," he said. "These will be discussed at the meeting."

Mr. Webb said both Canadian and U.S. delegates showed a growing concern for the maintenance of the forest production of the Pacific Northwest.

"Conservation measures to preserve our forests were stressed at the meeting," he said.

Four shops in the block bounded by Douglas, Broad, Yates and Johnson were entered overnight Tuesday, investigation showed.

The four new charges were for offences committed Sunday, when four other shops in the same block were reported entered, or attempts to enter had been made, but nothing stolen.

The new charges were for offences at Dick's Ladies' Wear, 1322 Douglas; Larry Wagner's News Depot, 1320 Douglas; O. H. Dorman Ltd., 1328 Douglas, and Tip Top Tailors Ltd., 648 Yates.

The pair was remanded to April 25 for a probation report.

It is believed to be the longest organized run in this area.

City-Sooke Marathon July 11 To Highlight Start of Fete

Exact starting time and prizes will be announced later.

Organizer of the marathon on behalf of the community association is E. Massick, 1018 Rockland, and those who want to enter should contact him. The telephone number is 2-8718.

Eric Butler was re-elected president and Jack Keating was named vice-president.

Directors chosen were Stan Jones, Rob Martin, Mrs. W. Eddy, John Wilson, Ray Blouin, Jerry Neal, Mrs. Robinson, Frank Gray, George Timlott and Bill Stephenson.

Purchases of frozen foods, canned groceries, and staples will be disallowed.

EXEMPTIONS

Council also plans to take full advantage of the act where exemptions to the early closing are allowed for some products.

But the most "wide-open" by law the city can pass will only permit night and Sunday sales of bakery products, drug store items, fresh fruit, fresh vegetables, soft drinks, dairy products, flowers and confectionery.

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Smith said regarding the scuffle, "He (Morgan) started lashing out. I got out of the road of his fists, then he took off down the road."

A passing motorist stopped on seeing the men belling over Morgan and called police from a service station down Fort Street.

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THE BETTER HALF



SHOPPING GUIDE

New Muted Splash Patterns To Brighten Summer Scenes

By PENNY SAVER

So feminine and "My Fair Lady-ish" is the muted, rose-patterned material you will want to start right in to make something pretty to wear. The blown rose design has a rather blurred effect, blending the rich colors to resemble watered silk. This polished cotton, tubable and fresh-looking, comes in many floral-splash patterns, and is adaptable to your many style ideas for spring and summer. Have you seen the novelty baby-doll pyjamas of this type of material? Why not try making a pair? House dresses, house coats or afternoon dresses, with whirly skirts will be lovely in this very popular material. It comes in 36-inch widths and costs \$1.69 a yard.

Ivy league colors and styles have invaded the women's departments and also children's departments, adding an interesting touch for skirts or Capri pants. Long-sleeved shirts with mannish button-down collars come in little girls' sizes and cost \$3.98. Red, blue, gold or tan with black stripes make these shirts just the thing to wear with hard-wearing sports clothes.

A little something for those of you who haven't been able to find just the hat for your outfit . . . hat forms. If you are so inclined, you can try your hand at trimming your own chapeau for the Easter parade. Hat forms, small or large, are yours for 29, 59 and 98c.

Easter bunnies, live or not, always thrill the youngsters, and the fuzzy, soft, cuddly bunny that you buy for the youngsters in your house will bring a shine to young eyes. Yellow, mauve, pink . . . those are colors of the bunnies with long ears and button noses.

LOUISE DAVIS

On Etiquette

A Bride's Aversion to Showers: My stepdaughter has an aversion to "glammy" parties for brides-to-be. She is to be married in six months, and many of her friends and relatives are already talking about showers. Although everyone knows of the engagement, her mother is planning a large reception to celebrate the engagement. The girl is alarmed that the invited guests will feel obligated to bring or send gifts. She has Louise Davis come to me for advice, which puts me in a peculiar position, so I am asking you for suggestions. The questions amount to: How can gifts be avoided?

Louise Davis answers:

It would help if the party were put in a different category than that of an engagement reception. The girl should plead with her mother, who should consider her wishes. It is up to her to take a firm stand right now before it is too late. An "at home" would lessen the sting of an engagement announcement reception. People wouldn't be so gift-minded. Another plan is that the mother issues invitations to an at home "to meet the fiance" Mr. William Baker, assuming that Mr. Baker hasn't met all of the bride's friends and relatives. Your stepdaughter should begin campaigning for the future by telling friends and relatives of the two families that she sincerely wishes that they would help her pass the word around that she prefers no showers whatsoever at any time. That doesn't mean no parties at all. It just means that if anyone wants to entertain, "Please see that it isn't a shower." Your stepdaughter is to be admired, so I say "Hooray for her!"



EASTER EGG COSTS \$750

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Like everything else, the price of Easter eggs has come up.

A Fort Worth woman recently paid what may be an all-time high price on the Easter egg market—\$750—for a single egg that isn't even a real egg. It was made of plaster.

The buyer was Mrs. Clint Murchison, whose oilman husband is ranked among the nation's wealthiest men. She bought the egg at an auction for the benefit of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults (Easter seal) held at a Dallas department store.

One saving thing about Mrs. Murchison's expensive egg—it was decorated by Walt Disney. The store sent the eggs to celebrities for decoration. George Apple, noted southwestern cattle auctioneer from McKinney, Tex., auctioned the egg.

CLUB CALENDAR

Women's Auxiliary, Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, ways and means committee, Easter egg hunt and coffee party, Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Langford Legion Hall, Dunford Avenue. Mrs. T. McKay and Mrs. L. Bayley, conveners.

At a special price for Easter they are \$1.49.

Rope beads, in dozens of shades and color combinations are appearing. They will be worn with blouses and sweaters for sun time. You can accessorize many outfits at a low price, for these attractive pieces of jewelry are selling at \$1 each.

If you would like to know where I shopped, call me at 2-3131.

Prominent Patrons For Young Liberals' Third Annual Ball

In the Peter Pan Ballroom in Vancouver Tuesday at 8 p.m. the Young Liberal Association of British Columbia will hold their third annual "Easter Reception Ball."

Among prominent Liberals lending their patronage are: Senator J. W. deB. Farris and Mrs. Farris, Senator Tom Reid and Mrs. Reid, Senator S. S. McKeen and Mrs. McKeen, Senator Nancy Hodges, Senator Sydney Smith and Mrs. Smith, Hon. James Sinclair, Minister of Fisheries, and Mrs. Sinclair; Hon. Ralph Campenay, Minister of National Defence, and Mrs. Campenay; Mr. Elmore Philpott, MP, and Mrs. Philpott, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laing.

Committee in charge of arrangements includes Mr. W. A. Street, president, Young Liberal Association of British Columbia; Grace Walton, Margaret Gardner, Anne Mackenzie, Leo Leavy, Jack Leavy,

Half-Size Style



by Anne Adams

From this minute on, you'll wear and love the slenderizing sheath dress with the box jacket. Made in cotton, linen, or a rich silk shantung. It's easy to sew—proportioned to fit and flatter the shorter, fuller figure.

Pattern 4773: Half sizes, 14 1/2, 15 1/2, 20 1/2, 22 1/2, 24 1/2. 16 1/2 dress takes 3 1/2 yards 35-inch fabric; jacket, 2 1/2 yards.

This pattern easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Has complete illustrated instructions.

Send 40 cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Please print plainly size, name, address, style number.

Send order to Anne Adams care of The Times, Pattern Dept., 60 Front Street W., Toronto, 1-A, Ont.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

For a couple of days I am new experiences, for a change of pace and scene.

"Many a husband would create magic if he would say to his wife, what would you like to do tomorrow," instead of "What did you do all day long?" The little lady probably has been in a rut for so long that it will take a tow truck to budge her, but try it!"

"I can see that the man who wrote the letter has no children. I could be well organized, too, if I kept my children tied and gagged and locked in the closet all day."

Another: "Perhaps when my children go to school I will have more time but until then no male efficiency expert is going to tell me I am disorganized. Pity the family which is so organized that there is never time for a smile, a laugh, a hug, or a spur-of-the-moment excursion."

Again: "There is one point I would like to bring to this man's attention. We consider efficient housekeeping only one phase of our job. He didn't mention time to nurse a bruised knee or heart, or time for character building, or being a good listener about a hard day at the office or any of the little things which make a home."

Another: "Housekeeping is, in a way a business, and as such has its share of details.

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'HOTTEST ISSUE'

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known as the Pan-American Anti-Communist League.

The Telegram quotes Mr. Walsh as saying today: "Mistaken identity—rubbish. My report was the facts of the case. The second report was issued after the intervention of Pearson."

NO RACING

There will be no horse racing at Bay Meadows and Laurel Friday with both tracks dark for the Easter holiday.

RACE RESULTS

BAY MEADOWS

First Race—Enthusiasm (Phillip) \$14.50 17.40 \$3.00
Satin Cookie (Johnson) 6.50 2.50
Venus (Pearson) 2.50
Time. 1.13 2.5

Second Race—
Miss (Pearson) \$6.00 \$4.40 \$3.70
Downey Doll (Moreno) 8.70 2.50
Starling (Dominguez) 3.50
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Third Race—
Circles (Shuk) \$5.00 \$3.00 \$2.40
Beau Prism (Mitchell) 2.50 2.20
Devil Seas (Keens) 3.40

Fourth Race—
Crown Devil (Krats) \$7.00 \$4.40 \$3.20
Patterson (Bacon) 2.50 2.40
Imperative (Gorman) 4.40

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Fifth Race—
Hit the Road (Culmine) \$13.00 \$7.70 \$5.20
Billie Joe (Shuk) 6.50 4.00
Billie May (Purdy) 6.50

Time. 1.13 2.5

Sixth Race—
Sealstone (Culmine) \$18.20 \$8.20 \$3.20
Fabricator (Leblanc) 4.20 2.80
Akbar Khan (Shuk) 2.50

Time. 1.14 1-2

Seventh Race—
Foamy Cox (Shuk) \$11.40 \$4.40 \$3.40
Elton Green (Grant) 3.40 3.00
Mais (Cuthshaw) 7.20

Time. 1.12 2-3

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He said Wednesday night that in October, 1950, the RCMP informed the appropriate U.S. security agencies it had a report from one of its secret agents mentioning Mr. Norman as a member of the Canadian Communist party in 1940.

But three months later the RCMP, after extensive inquiries, reported to the U.S. security agencies that its secret agent's information was a case of "mistaken identity or unfounded rumor by an unidentified sub-source" and it was therefore deleting the earlier reference to Mr. Norman as a Communist party member 10 years earlier.

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Gunman Kills FBI Agent, Suicides

SUFFIELD, Conn. (UP)—An accused wife-slayer and payroll bandit fought a gun duel with police today when he was trapped in a home and died after killing an FBI agent.

The body of suspect, Francis Kokowski, 42, was found in the basement where he apparently had gone in an attempt to escape tear gas bombs, pumped into the home of John W. Slater, where he had barricaded himself. It was believed he shot himself to prevent capture.

FBI agent Richard Horan was found dead in the kitchen, where he was felled by a bullet as he invaded the upstairs after gaining entrance to the cellar of the home.

The battle raged for nearly an hour as Kokowski tried desperately to fend off more than 50 officers who converged on the scene after receiving reports the killer-bandit had taken refuge in the house.



CHURCHES GLOW FOR EASTER

Symbol of the resurrection, fresh spring flowers will brighten altars of city churches at Good Friday and Easter Sunday services. Above, helping to decorate St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, are children of Sunday school superintendent Christopher Howland, 3170 Aldridge, from left: Lennie, 10; Yvonne, 2; Mary, 7. See page 21 for Good Friday services. (Times photo)

JUDGE REMANDS CASE TO MAY 2

2nd Courtenay Parent Charged With Keeping Child From School

COURTENAY — Trial of a woman facing charges that her nine-year-old daughter had not been attending school as required under the Public Schools Act, was remanded by Magistrate John Ryland here today.

Sparks live on Arden Road, too far from the school for a child to walk, the defense said.

Test date the prosecution is using is last March 5 when Nancy was absent.

Mr. Sparks said he was ill on the date in question and could not drive Nancy.

Appearing for the crown is H. S. MacLyon.

Magistrate Ryland, who will hear the case, made an historic decision last week that if a child can be properly educated at home there is no obligation to send the child to a school. The owners were "following this advice."

Charged with the offence is Mrs. Susan Sparks, wife of a Courtenay lawyer.

Her husband is defending her. Charges were laid by School Board officials of District 71 that Nancy Sparks, an elementary school pupil here, had at-

Secret Session At Toronto Drafts Election Platform

TORONTO (CP) — Social Credit party leaders in closed session today hammered out the party's campaign platform for the June 10 federal election.

Although public announcement was withheld until a mass rally here tonight, it was reported that one plank calls for pensions of \$100 a month to Canadians at age 70. The present pension is \$40 a month and is scheduled to go to \$46 July 1.

The platform was discussed at a morning meeting of the party's executive committee, headed by Solon Low, national leader. Other members of the committee include Premiers Bennett of British Columbia and Manning of Alberta, Rev. E. G. Hansell, SC national president, and several cabinet ministers in the Alberta and B.C. Social Credit governments.

The policies went before an afternoon meeting of the party's election.

Razzle, Dazzle Rally Scheduled Tonight

Special to the Times
TORONTO—Social Credit's "On to Ottawa" campaign frankly doesn't know what to expect at its heralded eastern rally.

SWANK BAND
Like the official party program that will be unveiled tonight, the entertainment has something for everyone.

Moxie Whitney's swank society orchestra will play and the featured singer will be Lorraine McAllister, who is equally at home with hillbilly or pop songs.

Also working hard on speeches are Premier E. C. Manning of

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TODAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	2	5	0
New York	6	7	1
Simmons	Farrell (6)	Miller (7)	and
Lester, Gomberg and Westrum	0	6	0
Cincinnati	0	6	0
Milwaukee	0	6	0
St. Louis	Sanchez (8)	Bailey, Burdette and Crandall	and
Pittsburgh	1	4	2
Brooklyn	6	14	2
Arroyo, Purkey (5), Churn (7), King	0	6	0
and Kravitz, Maglie and Campella	0	6	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
New York	3	6	0
Kicks, Grim (8) and Berra, P. Sullivan	0	6	0
and White			

QUEEN HONORS B.C. AIRMAN FOR FRASER FLOOD BRAVERY

OTTAWA (CP) — Award of the Queen's commendation for brave conduct to Flt. Sgt. Walter Hetman of the RCAF station at Vancouver is announced in the Canada Gazette.

PR. GEORGE CITIZENS ENRAGED**Young Hoodlums Terrorize City****... GULLS**

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have any bearing on Beacon Hill gulls.

A seagull questioned at the city garbage wharf expressed scant interest in the plan.

"As I understand it, the city council will be asked to provide music on the garbage scows," he said.

"The music suggested is the seagull warning cry, which is to a seagull a most interesting chromatic exercise."

"However, I cannot see the need for this expense, as seagulls are quite capable of producing their own warning cries."

"But, not being a taxpayer, the matter doesn't concern me one way or the other."

The only note of indignation was sounded by a rather ancient seagull, a resident of these parts for many years, and the dean of the HMC Dockyard colony.

"There is basic ingratitude here," he said: "Gull and fledgling, for night unto I don't know—many years I have been doing my part to keep the harbors clean. So have all the other gulls of my acquaintance. Now they are posing to try to keep us off the garbage scows."

Even this ancient, and rather indignant, gull refused to be worried. "It won't work," he said, "they may decide to play Elvis Presley recordings instead."

Quivering from beak to tail feather, they flew away.

One is a herring gull who is hard of herring.

The three gulls actively worried about the project all had the same reason.

"When the city fathers find the seagull warning won't work," they said, "they may decide to play Elvis Presley recordings instead."

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Opera Singer Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—Stefan Kozakevich, 51, Russian-born concert and opera singer, died Wednesday at his home. For 10 seasons he was the lead baritone of the San Carlo Opera Co.

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'Painless' Merger Sketched by Ash**No Municipality Would Assume Debt of Another, States Reeve**

A "painless" plan for consolidation of Greater Victoria—with no municipality assuming the debt or development of another—was sketched by Saanich Reeve Arthur Ash Wednesday night.

He told a joint meeting of Greater Victoria Lions Clubs, outlying municipalities fear they would be called upon to assume the debt of Victoria, in event of amalgamation.

These municipalities with sewers, drains and highways completed resist the idea of providing these services to other areas which are not so fully developed.

Solution, he said, would be for the municipalities to pool costly assets which cannot be liquidated—streets, sewers, sidewalks, street lighting and parks, the arena and the public library, to name a few.

These would be administered on a joint basis.

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Where services were lacking in an area, they could be financed by common bond issues with the debt falling upon the area receiving the benefits.

"Many of these services would be undertaken by local improvement by-laws. This would enable us to borrow at a low interest rate as a large united municipality."

Reeve Ash recalled the statement of Municipal Affairs Minister Wesley Black recently: "The only sensible solution to the Greater Victoria problem is complete amalgamation."

The reeve felt if Victoria district amalgamated it should have its own private charter combining the best features of the new Municipal Act and the Vancouver City Charter.

Consolidation could be started by establishing a special intermunicipal committee in co-operation with the department of municipal affairs.

The argument that taxes would be increased by amalgamation was disproved when Ottawa annexed surrounding areas. Except for the demand for local improvements, taxes would have been lower, the reeve said. (He is a former Ottawa alderman.)

CARRY KNIVES

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Youth Induced Boys to Steal Goods for Him

A Victoria youth who induced a pair of juveniles to steal for him was sentenced to one day imprisonment and one year's rigid probation when he faced two charges of breaking, entering and theft in Colwood RCMP court Wednesday.

Victor Rowe, 18, 478 Gorge East, pleaded guilty to the charges laid after break-ins March 2 and March 23 at Bligh's Corner General Store, at Bligh's Corner General Store, at Bligh's Corner General Store.

Court was told Rowe acted as lookout while the two juveniles entered the store the first time to take small items of merchandise.

SUSPENDED

The second time Rowe again acted as lookout while one of the juveniles entered the premises.

Rowe was given a suspended sentence on the first charge and Magistrate A. I. Thomas imposed a stiff probation requirement.

On the second charge, being a second offence, the one day imprisonment was set.

Sentence was imposed after receipt of a probation report on Rowe.

Reeve Ash pointed out that current municipal budgets in the whole Greater Victoria area are rising steadily while each municipality continues as a separate entity.

"Increased taxation has taken place each year for the past 10 years . . . and may I say, the end is not in sight."

Saanich, he felt, was a prime example of mounting civic costs. Taxes are bound to jump at least two mills due to an increase ordered in the gross assessment.

"Recently, we in Saanich have been living in a fool's paradise, and now our past is catching up with us."

The reeve added, the municipal board which brought about formation of a metropolitan area in Toronto expressed the opinion that complete amalgamation of that area would have been the wisest step.

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'Birdcage' Probe Report Awaits Bonner

Contents of the fire marshal's report into the recent blaze which destroyed the old legislative building ("the Birdcage") will not be made public until Attorney-General Robert Bonner returns from eastern Canada.

Mr. Bonner is now in Toronto attending a Social Credit meeting.

A spokesman for his department confirmed that the fire marshal's report on the fire had been received.

More than 400,000 trees stand along the boulevards and in the parks of Paris.

WENNER-GREN AREA SHUTDOWN 'NEWS TO ME' SAYS WILLISTON

Lands and Forests Minister Ray Williston said today he had heard nothing of a report that 70 men have been thrown out of work at Hudson Hope because a sawmill site had been declared part of the Wenner-Gren area.

"It is news to me," said Mr. Williston when told of a story published in the Toronto Star. "So many sawmills are closing now for no other reason than lack of business. I have not heard of any mill closing at Hudson Hope."

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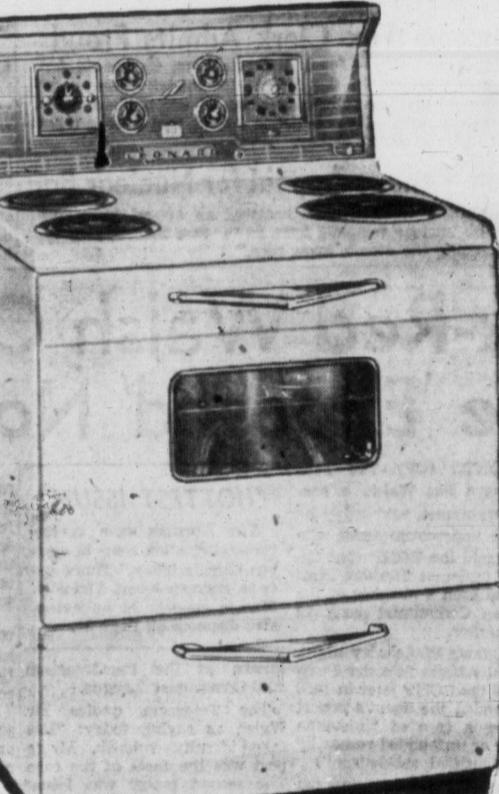
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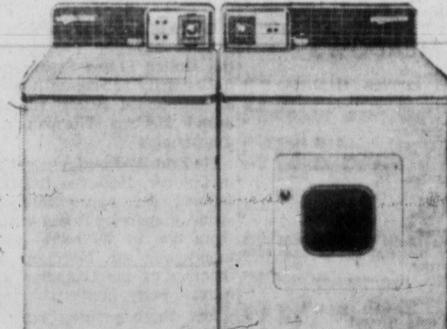
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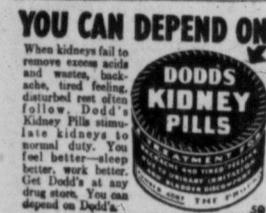
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Appeal 'Unwise' Says A-G's Office

COURTENAY — The attorney-general's department has advised the Courtenay school board to drop proceedings against a Comox couple given the right to keep their son out of school.



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... SOCREDS

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Alberta and National Leader
Solon Low.

Neither thought their rally
message historic but predicted
the meeting would put the Soc
reds on the Ontario map.

One thing tonight's rally will
not introduce is a campaign
song for the march to Ottawa. "We've been corny enough to have a
song called 'On to Ottawa,'" a
party spokesman said.

Three days of press releases
have left Toronto a bit baffled
about just what the Socreds
stand for.

All the party has stressed
here so far is that it is alive.

Observers here believe that
Premier Bennett is exercising
a growing influence over the
national Socred organization.

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PEARSON BUNGLED

While Mr. Low said the Nor
man case will not be made a
campaign issue, Highways Minister
P. A. Gaglardi was telling
an audience in Hamilton that
Hon. Lester Pearson had bungled
by "not telling the complete story."

Half-page advertisements
have been appearing in newspapers
here telling of the meeting
tonight.

Where asked reporters, are
the campaign funds coming
from?

Said Mr. Bennett: Rank and
file Social Crediters, and business,
too.

Big business too?

Both big and small, said Mr.
Bennett.

BLOOD-RED LAVA SPEWS FROM ANCIENT MT. ETNA

CATANIA, Sicily (AP)—Mount Etna's central
crater broke into explosive action today as blood-red
lava continued to spill slowly from a new rupture
above the Valley of the Lion on the barren side of
the ancient peak.

For the time being, hamlets on Etna, far below
the volcanic activity, were not in danger.

The current eruption is in the same zone as that
of 1950 which spilled out millions of tons of lava and
did not halt until it had reached the 600-foot level
and destroyed and damaged roads and cultivated
fields.

... NORMAN

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into the hands of the sub-commitee.

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The statements take issue
with comments written by
Arthur Blakely, the Gazette's
Ottawa correspondent.

Mr. Blakely asked at one
point in his April 17 column:

"Why did Mr. Pearson try to
create the impression last week
that Mr. Norman's strange,
ultra-leftwing associations had
been confined to his student
days, when Mr. Pearson must
have known that such contacts were
maintained as late as February, 1950?"

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WHAT'S YOUR PLEASURE, BARITONE OR BASS?

Other practice chores over for the night and tonsils tuned up, this trio of Shamrocks prepares to brush up on new battle song of Victoria's Intercity Lacrosse League entry. Ontario import Jack Howse (centre)

WHAT'S THE SCORE?

BY

Denny Boyd

It has been proven conclusively—oh, hundreds of times—that the Times can beat That Other Paper to sway-backed submission in anything from news-hawking to a loafer contest between the respective sports editors, who shall remain nameless this time.

(And if I ever write another sentence like that I will be back at my old job of plucking bugs off tomato plants.)

All this is a matter of record. And the record will be immeasurably embellished Friday when the Times All-Star soccer team scores its inevitable victory over That Other Paper's All-Stars in a game of shin-hackers at Athletic Park.

This is not conjecture. It is fact.

You do not bet that the sun will come up tomorrow. You just know it is going to happen. Victory for the Times is equally certain.

However, fear not, gentle reader. There will be a measure of competition in this game. It will not be quite so one-sided as a stomping contest between an elephant and a mouse.

As manager of the Times All-Stars, I was placed squarely on the spot last night, but I must say, I came through with admirable poise and open-handed generosity.

Frankly, I was asked-to-bail That Other Team out of the flaming trouble they are in.

I received a phone call from my opposition manager, Jim Tang, who, in a voice quivering with piteous humility, asked if I would save his professional reputation.

Jim was in trouble, player-wise.

He said that his team needed two skips, a third and an experienced lead.

After I told him that we weren't playing that game, I became recklessly generous and offered to trade him one of my many goalies, Archie McMillan, and just the best half-back in the city, Harold Holroyd.

However, for my generosity, I received a warm glow in my bosom by knowing that I had freed Paul Simpson, George Wright and Alex Stewart from bondage with That Other Paper's team.

At this point I suppose it is only honest and fitting to admit that I had been informed earlier that Holroyd would not be in town for the game.

(Oh, I tell you, it is a cutthroat business.)

In addition to the players, I included an undisclosed sum of money in the deal to help rescue That Other Paper's team from financial collapse, brought about by mismanagement.

All this I did in good faith.

After all, the game's the thing. It's bigger than the both of us.

Wright, Stewart and Simpson, when they heard they had been traded from That Other Paper's team to the Times All-Stars, could only say in choked voices: "Thank you . . . thank you."

It was touching and I felt rather like Lincoln, emancipating the slaves.

DETROIT GETAWAY STALLED

Those Kansas Yanks Lousing Up Tigers

By The United Press

Those ex-Yankees masquerading as the Kansas City Athletics occupy first place in the American League today—and they've done their old teammates a big favor, to boot, by getting the Detroit Tigers off to a poor start.

The Athletics made it two in a row over the Tigers, 5-4, in the only major league game played Wednesday and for the second straight day an ex-Yankee did the honors. Tom Morgan stopped the Tigers on four hits in Tuesday's opener and ex-Yank farmhand Wally Burnette turned in 5 1/2 scoreless relief innings yesterday to pick up the victory.

It can be argued that they were just two games played in April and will be forgotten by Memorial Day. But, nevertheless, they are significant for at least two reasons:

1. They bear out Kansas City manager Lou Boudreau's contention that the 12 ex-Yankees on his roster have made his Athletics a formidable team which is almost certain to quit the AL cellar.

2. And, they've served to put the "stopper" on rookie manager Jack Tighe's No. 1 spring project—getting the Tigers off to a fast start. Poor Tighe must be wondering: today what's going to happen when he runs up against the Real Yankees?

Bob Cerv, still another ex-Yankee, started the Athletics' winning fourth-inning rally when he blasted a triple and he scored the game's decisive run on Joe DeMaestri's single. Burnette, who took over the mound in the top of

CRICKETERS SET MAY 4 FOR OPENER

Players in the Victoria and District Cricket League will soon be breaking their whites out of mothballs and smoothing the lime oil into their bats as the opening of the 1957 season, May 4, draws near.

Carrying on to mid-September, the schedule will be confined primarily to Victoria and Duncan pitches with occasional invitational matches with mainland teams.

RCAF Ruggers Boost Experience, Power

RCAF Astrals rugby team of Winnipeg will fly here for a Saturday game with JBAAs at Macdonald Park. The flyers will bring 15 players, the majority of whom have had considerable experience in English league play.

A potent three-quarter line will be the airmen's first weapon of offence, as it sports such experienced players as D. W. Hill, whom with two years with division "A," London Welsh; T. L. Jones, stand-off half, who played with Immanuel College, Cambridge; B. J. Anderson, centre, who played with Birkenhead Park; P. J. Herding, wing, of Cambridgeshire.

The scrum would not appear as strong, but it has A. M. Chandler, in the front row, who made the all-RAF trials and toured Australia with an RAF College team in 1933; wing forward C. L. Thompson played with Surrey Schools, and N. D. Collier, who played in the second row of the scrum for London Counties Schools.

Returning home for the game will be fullback C. C. McCreadie, who played last year with the Victoria College Vikings. He left college to join the air force and was posted to Winnipeg.

The average age of the visiting team is 20 years, but they represent a wealth of accumulated experience in the sport.

Game time at Macdonald Park is 2:30.

Lard-Hips' Luce Seeks Revenge

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. (CP) — It may have been poetic justice that goalie Lucien Dechene was a vital figure in Brandon Regals' 4-3 victory over New Westminster Royals in the first game of the Western Hockey final.

Exactly two years before, Dechene played goal for the Royals for the last time.

The Royals had lost and Dechene was shuffling to the dressing room. A fan jeered: "Goodbye, Lard-Hips!"

Dechene's dietary problems had plagued the Royals that winter and his passion for victory had left him with the silhouette of an Easter egg.

Before another hockey season began he graduated

Magna Cum Lardy to the Brandon Regals.

Tuesday night he hobbled the Royals steadily in the first two periods and made key saves in the third.

"Always this winter, Lou made the big save," said Don Raleigh, Brandon coach, after the game. "When he comes through it gives us a chance to get the big goal. You can look up how big his saves were in the records."

"For sure at least my best season ever," said Dechene, towelling himself after the game. Stripped, he still exhibited a bit of a balcony south of his chest, but it was not the corporation it used to be.

"Yes," he admitted. "I've

reduced. Before I am 228. Now I am regular 195."

Second game of the best-of-seven final goes here tonight. The first game came near being the last of the season, and for many years to come, in New Westminster.

Chairman Bill Russell of the New Westminster Park Board Tuesday insisted that the Royals pay 17½ per cent of the gate from all playoff games as rental for the Queen's Arena.

"I have lost a good deal of money," Vancouver's Mayor Fred Hume, who owns the Royals, told the board and reporters. "I enjoy the games and I believe it would be a shame if the people of New

Westminster are deprived of professional hockey."

"However, if you gentlemen insist on 17½ per cent the Royals will finish this series in Brandon or Calgary. I have brought president Al Leader of the Western Hockey League to confirm this plan."

Leader urged a compromise. Finally, after Hal Laycock, Royals player-manager, described the arena as a barn and the ice indescribably bad, the board agreed to a 16½ per cent cut on all playoff games there this year.

If Royals win tonight's game, a third game will be played here Saturday night. Otherwise the series shifts to Brandon.

Flyers May Leave WHL If Demands Not Satisfied

Threaten 'Shock' Move; Will Not Rehire Poile

EDMONTON (CP) — The Journal says Edmonton Flyers are withdrawing, at least temporarily, from the professional Western Hockey League in an attempt to "shock the game into adopting a realistic approach to its financial and physical problems."

The newspaper says it has learned from an authoritative source that WHL President Al Leader of Seattle has been sent a formal notice of withdrawal by the Edmonton Exhibition Association, which sponsors the hockey club.

Exhibition association officials said they were not prepared to confirm or deny the report.

The Journal story, by sports editor Hal Pawson, says the Edmonton decision to withdraw doesn't appear to be final, but a move to do two things: force western professional hockey to review its financial commitments and spark a move aimed at more equitable distribution of hockey benefits.

FOLLOWS POILE DECISION

The report follows Tuesday night's announcement by the association that it doesn't plan to exercise its option to renew the contract of Flyer coach Bud Poile, who has been at the helm for five years. The Journal says the Edmonton letter to Leader was sent hours after informing Poile of its decision.

The paper says both decisions—regarding Poile and withdrawal from the league—are open to reconsideration if the exhibition board obtains its objectives, which demand positive assurance that professional hockey can be operated in the West on anything approaching a no-loss basis.

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